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WORKMEN WERE AFRAID OF DEFECTS IN BRIDGE

Statements Made by Witnesses Before the Government Commission

EFFORTS TO TINKER OPEN CHORD

Men Who Lost Their Lives Had Been Discussing Danger the Day Before the Collapse.

Quebec, Sept. 16.—J. Nance was the first witness heard this morning before the federal commission inquiring into the cause of the Quebec bridge disaster. He was one of those who had a remarkable escape from death. He ran a small electric engine on top of the bridge, and was at this post when he felt the bridge suddenly fall. The day previous his attention was drawn by Messrs. Cook and Haley to a curved chord, but witness did not go down to examine it. He admitted being somewhat apprehensive of danger but he did not desire to show cowardice by walking off.

John E. Spyer, was the next witness. He had been in the employ of the Phoenix Bridge company since September, 1904, first engaged on the false work, then with the riveting gang, and lastly on the big traveler. The day of the disaster he did not work, but was on duty the day before. Asked his reason why he did not work on the 29th, he answered it was because he got nervous on the night before the disaster. S. Angers, Joe Mitchell, John Jocal and Louis Dulseau, all of whom were killed, discussing the fact of there being an open chord which they were attempting to jack up. It could not be got into position, but the plates had been drawn to gether and rivetted.

Percy Wilson, employed as a laborer carrying rivets, was then called. He had been two summers working on the site. The day of the disaster he was serving a gang about three hundred feet further out near the deep water pier. When the bridge collapsed, he was on his way ashore to get more rivets, and was close to the anchor pier, together with two others, when he heard a noise as if iron was crumpling, they all three started to run ashore, and gazing around saw the superstructure go down. Witness said: "It went like a flash of lightning. I lasted a few seconds, and the only thing I could see was the floating timber beyond the deep water pier and the mass of tangled iron between the other piers. There was a ladder leading to the beach, and I slip down it, for I knew I had a brother working below and another brother out on the extension."

Balloonist Landed in Prison.

Warsaw, Russian Poland, Sept. 16.—A parachute performer, who went up in a balloon from a country fair in this neighborhood yesterday, had the misfortune to land near the Warsaw barracks, and was promptly arrested by the soldiers as a suspicious person and taken to prison.

Steamship Rate War.

Liverpool, Sept. 16.—The directors of the Cunard Steamship Company held a meeting this afternoon to consider the steps necessary to meet the west-bound rates for the winter season announced by the White Star line. These are far below the usual winter rates, ranging from \$5 to \$22.50 under the previous minimum. The decision of the Cunard directors has not been announced, but the rate war is expected shortly to enter upon a more acute phase.

Baptist Church Extension

Philadelphia, Sept. 16.—A fund of \$100,000 for church extension and missionary work has been raised within the past year by the Baptists of Philadelphia to commemorate the two-hundredth anniversary of the formation of the Philadelphia Baptist association.

Furriers Leave Work.

New York, Sept. 16.—A general strike, involving 6,000 furriers, declared on Saturday night at a mass meeting of the members of the Furriers' union, began today throughout the city. The general strike order was the result of a lockout of 3,000 men and girls furriers on Saturday morning, ordered by the employers' association in the fur trade.

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ATTACKS ON JEWS

Outrages Committed by Black Hundreds in Odessa

Odessa, Sept. 16.—Notwithstanding the proclamation of the new prefect of Odessa, General Movitsky, outrages in the streets here were resumed today on the funeral of a police official. The black hundreds fired revolvers recklessly all day, broke into Jewish houses, pillaged them and cruelly beat their occupants. Two Jews were killed and many were injured. Reports are reaching this city of raids, robberies and murders at other places.

Railway Telegraphers' Case

Ottawa, Sept. 16.—Prof. Shortt, of Queen's university, has been appointed chairman of the board of conciliation which will look into the dispute between the railroad telegraphers and the company. Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., represents the company and Mr. O'Donoghue the men. They will hold a preliminary meeting tomorrow at Montreal.

World's Wheat Crop

Washington, Sept. 16.—The European crop report of the department of agriculture for this month of August, issued today, says that a survey of European countries suggests a general marked decrease in the production of wheat as compared with the exceptional crop last year, important increases being expected only in Russia (spring wheat) and France. The most serious losses are looked for from Hungary, the Balkan country and Germany.

TWENTY-FIVE KILLED IN WRECK OF TRAINS

Consequences of Telegrapher's Blunder on Boston & Maine Road

Canaan, N. H., Sept. 16.—The list of dead in the wreck yesterday is as follows:

Timothy Shaughnessy, Manchester, N. H.; Mrs. Timothy Shaughnessy, Manchester, N. H.; Geo. L. Southwick, Worcester, Mass.; Fred H. Phelps, Oshkosh, Texas; Mrs. M. E. Warren, Haverhill, Mass.; T. Howard, Wat., N. H.; Mrs. Joseph Bervort, Concord, N. H.; Miss Annie Barrett, Manchester; Augustine Royer, Manchester; Richard E. Clark, Lebanon, N. H.; Frank H. Lewis, Empress, Mass.; Miss E. S. Briggs, West Lebanon, N. H.; John J. Johnson, Bethel, Vt.; Mrs. Wm. Ventimier, Robinson, Vt.; Miss Lillian Ventimier, her daughter; Mrs. Alice Cunningham, Hamilton, Mass.

It was officially stated today at the office of the superintendent of the Concord division of the Boston and Maine railroad that the number of deaths resulting from the collision of the Canaan train yesterday was twenty-five. Of this number two were taken to White River junction and thence to their homes, twenty-two were brought to an undertaking establishment here, and one is at the Mary Hitchcock hospital at Hanover.

An investigation of the terrible disaster was begun today under the direction of M. D. Cobleigh, the county solicitor. According to a statement issued by the railroad officials, a blunder in handling train orders was the cause, but the identity of the employee responsible for the error remains to be determined.

Station Agent Creeley, of Canaan station, through whose hands passed the fatal order for the freight train to proceed on the passenger train's time, was temporarily removed today. Creeley is regarded highly here as a capable agent and operator.

The list of injured includes: Saunders, Nashua, N. H., legs and arms injured; Mrs. Saunders, Nashua, head and back injured; Mrs. C. N. Saunders, Nashua, wounds on head; Miss C. Saunders, Nashua, contusion of face; Miss D. Saunders, Nashua, internal injuries; Fred Saunders, Nashua, shoulder injured; Mrs. Hester Saunders, Blackton, Mass., head and back injured; C. St. Pierre, Isle Vernon, internal injuries; Arthur Jacks, Millbury, Que., internal injuries; A. E. Barthelder, Summerville, Mass., ankle broken; Philip MacGowan, Sherbrooke, Que., internal injuries; Kohn Barrett, Manchester, N. H., head and back injured; Miss Abby Jannsen, Nashua, broken arm; Cunningham, Hamilton, Mass., internal injuries.

The collision occurred between the southbound Quebec express and a northbound freight train on the Concord division of the Boston and Maine railroad, four miles north of Canaan station early Sunday morning, and was due to a mistake in the train dispatcher's orders. From a demolished passenger coach there were taken out 25 dead and dying and 27 other passengers, most of them seriously injured. Nearly all those who were in the death car were returning from a fair at Sherbrooke, Que., sixty miles north. The conductor of the freight train was given to understand that he had time to reach a siding by the night operator at Canaan station, receiving, according to the superintendent of the division, a copy of a telegraph order from the train dispatcher at Concord, which confused the train numbers 3 and 34. The wreck occurred just after the express had rounded in to a straight stretch of track, but owing to an early morning mist neither engineer saw the other's headlight until too late. The southbound train was made up at Sherbrooke late Saturday evening, where it picked up two sleepers from Quebec and two more on the way down, consisting of baggage car, passenger coach, smoking car in the order named and sleepers in the rear.

The baggage car in the rear was hurled back into the passenger coach like a great ram and tore it asunder from end to end. As it did so the rear end of the car rose up, so that when it stopped at the forward end of the smoker, which was behind the passenger coach, it was well inclined. Only a few of the windows in the smoking car were broken and none of the Pullmans were damaged.

SAYS MR. TEMPLEMAN IS QUIBBLING NOW

Premier McBride on Ottawa Minister's Latest Stand on Natal Act

TRYING TO BLIND THE PUBLIC

Federal Representative Endeavoring to Distract Attention From Disallowance by Ottawa.

Refreshed and invigorated from his short vacation at Stave Lake, Hon. Richard McBride was very busy at his offices in the provincial buildings yesterday.

He had little to add to his categorical contradiction of the statements of Hon. William Templeman which appeared in the Colonist of Sunday last. On being shown the interview with Mr. Templeman which appeared in last evening's Times, dealing with the Chinese Exclusion bill, he remarked: "The whole tenor of the remarks of the minister of inland revenue is nothing else than an attempt to quibble over the situation. Mr. Templeman now says that he never charged that I had advised the lieutenant-governor to withhold assent."

"As a matter of fact, the very heading in the Times of Sept. 9 over Mr. Templeman's original interview read 'Natal Act Was Killed by McBride,' and in the course of his remarks Mr. Templeman used the following words: 'The provincial act was reserved, therefore, at the instance of Mr. McBride.' The Times is Mr. Templeman's personal organ and editorially it also charges me with advising that assent to the bill be withheld."

"Mr. Templeman's attitude throughout makes it patent that he is endeavoring to blind the eyes of the public to the fact that his government alone must be held responsible for the persistent disallowance of legislation passed by the provincial legislature in the endeavor by the people of British Columbia to stay the flood of Oriental immigration."

Must Give Up Passes.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 16.—The state board of health today adopted a resolution prohibiting any employee or appointee of that board from carrying a railroad or other pass. Two secretaries will have to resign or give up their passes.

Killed by Italians.

Pittsburg, Kans., Sept. 16.—At Crowburg, a new mining camp in the northern part of this county, late last night, two persons were killed and two fatally wounded, the result of a grudge held by the Italian miners of the district against a mine boss, Charles Gardner, the mine boss, and his sister, Mrs. George Rexford, were waylaid on a lonely road, while returning home, by a number of Italians and shot and fatally wounded. Gardner returned the fire and killed two Italians, names unknown.

DEALING WITH HINDUS SETTLED IN VANCOUVER

Mayor's Request for Use of Drill Hall—Some Are to Be Deported

Lash for a Burglar

Vancouver, Sept. 16.—Judge Bole of New Westminster today sentenced John Wilson, a convicted burglar, who came here from the United States, to 15 years' imprisonment on three separate charges, with 36 lashes, 13 now and 18 at the expiration of a year. This is the most severe sentence in Canada for this offense.

Wright's Aeroplane

Berlin, Sept. 16.—Wm. Wright, of Dayton, O., and his associate in negotiating the sale of the Wright Bros' aeroplane to Germany, has arrived here and been received by the chiefs of the military balloon division of the army.

SIX MEN DROWNED

Leaped Into Allegheny River From Sinking Barge

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 16.—Panic-stricken when a barge in which they were crossing the Allegheny river began to sink, six workmen employed by the Dravo Contracting company on the United States government dam, No. 2, at Aspinwall, a suburb six miles above this city, jumped into the river and were drowned. With the exception of Frank Herman, all the men were Italians. When near Aspinwall, the barge, which was heavily loaded with stone, began to sink. The foreigners became frenzied and leaped into the river, carrying Herman with them. None of the men could swim, and they perished before assistance from shore could be given them. The bodies have all been recovered.

Ontario Cabinet Busy

Toronto, Sept. 16.—The Ontario cabinet ministers will be busy from this time on preparing for the opening of the legislature, which will take place in all probability the first week in January. The big item will be the Redistribution Bill and the session will likely be short to be followed by an election in June.

Work at Fort William

Montreal, Sept. 16.—The C. P. R. intends erecting a million ton dock at Fort William, six new freight sheds, a huge cleaning elevator and other necessary accommodation. It is part of the policy to build up a great shipping trade on the lakes and make Fort William the finest inland shipping port in the world.

PEACE CONFERENCE MAKES SLOW PROGRESS

Proposal for Permanent Court of Arbitration Hung Up by Belgium

The Hague, Sept. 16.—Jos. H. Choate, and General Horace Porter, of the American delegation to the Hague Peace conference, are doing their best to shake the indolence of some of the European delegation, the members of which, although so close to their governments, constantly postpone discussions or stop work because they must ask for instructions. Up to the present time, the efforts of the American delegates have been unsuccessful. The fate of the permanent court of arbitration is still undecided, while, strangely enough the reports on matter of obligatory arbitration was entrusted to Baron Guillaume (Belgium), who has consistently opposed this idea, in accordance with the instructions of King Leopold, who fears the application of obligatory arbitration to the Congo Independent State. For this same reason, M. Beernaert, the head of the Belgium delegation, who personally is in favor of compulsory arbitration, has been ordered not to take part in the discussion of the topic. Baron Guillaume began by delaying the issuing of his report, but he now expects to have it ready on Sept. 23rd. In the meantime the delegates to the conference are inundated with documents regarding secondary questions. According to the department having this matter in hand, over ten tons of printed matter have been distributed to the delegates since the conference began. It is said now that the conference will come to an end on October 10th.

H. H. ROGERS' HEALTH

Made Out to Be Too Ill to Appear at Trial of Suit

Boston, Sept. 16.—There was considerable conjecture as to the condition of H. H. Rogers, who is suing Mr. Rogers for \$50,000,000 for certain petroleum royalties, tried to prove that Mr. Rogers was able to appear in court in spite of the objection of his counsel. The hearing today was on motion by Mr. Raymond's counsel to have the case, which was postponed last week to the Spring term of the court, replaced on the present trial list.

Reg Jamieson Drowned

Toronto, Sept. 16.—Reg Jamieson, Toronto University graduate, whose letters under the name of "Junius Junior," caused an investigation of university affairs about a year ago, was drowned in the French river. With his wife and another woman he was marooned on an island and lost his life attempting to swim to the mainland.

Coal Miners Strike.

Greensburg, Pa., Sept. 16.—Five hundred miners employed in the Westmoreland Coal Company's mine at Claridge, Pa., went out on strike today, giving as the cause the refusal of the company to discharge a weighmaster who, the miners allege, did not report the weights correctly.

Antwerp Dock Strike

Antwerp, Sept. 16.—The Maritime Federation today presented a proposition, which was accepted by the striking dock laborers, calling for an unconditional return to work and the appointment of a mixed commission with powers to examine and determine upon the question of wages.

Central American Conference.

Washington, Sept. 16.—The diplomatic representatives of the five Central American republics did not continue today their meeting for the purpose of arranging a permanent peace conference to be held in Washington. It was necessary for Minister Godol, chargé at the Mexican embassy, to attend the celebration at the Jamestown exposition, this being Mexican day.

ANTI-ASIATIC LEAGUE PROPOSES SECOND PARADE

Vancouver Organization Plans Further Aggressive Movements

CONFERENCE HELD AT OTTAWA

Commissioner Ishii and Sir Wilfrid Laurier Exchange Views on Immigration.

Vancouver, Sept. 16.—An official of the Asiatic Exclusion league stated today that the Dominion government will be allowed a reasonable time to pass a relieving measure with respect to Asiatic immigration, but that if something is not done soon the league will adopt drastic measures. The league now has \$5,000 in the treasury, and 3,000 members paid the annual fee and signed the membership roll last week. A special meeting will be called this week to settle upon the date for another parade, which will be made a test to see what the city will do. Five thousand men will turn out, but in view of the statements made regarding American members of the league no one except city men will be allowed in the parade. Secretary Gordon Grant is deluged with letters from all over the continent asking for anti-Asiatic literature. Branches of the league will be formed in all the principal cities of the coast, and a deputation will go to Victoria to walk up the people there.

An international convention of exclusionists from all over the coast will be held in this city next month. The local Japanese have made out their bill in connection with the recent riots. It amounts to \$7,500, and they will present it to the Ottawa authorities through their representatives. It is understood that Ottawa will pay, and ask Vancouver to reimburse it. City Solicitor Cowan says the city is not liable, and the council will fight the matter to the last ditch.

Conference at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Sept. 16.—Japanese immigration was the subject of the conference between Premier Laurier, Mr. Ishii, the special Japanese envoy, and Japanese Consul-General Nosse this afternoon. The position of the Canadian government is that the arrangement regarding Japanese immigration into Canada be maintained. In effect this arrangement was that not more than 600 persons should arrive in Canada from Japan in one year.

The importations from Honoluli greatly exceed this number, and Japan says she is unable to control the arrivals from a country under the United States flag. To Mr. Ishii the Premier presented the Canadian case. Mr. Ishii explained that Japan was still carrying out the old arrangement as far as it was possible for her to do so, although he was forced to admit that the spirit of the bargain was being violated by the arrivals from Honolulu.

Sir Wilfrid suggested that a change be made in the treaty so that the same power would be given to Canada as was now contained in the United States treaty with Japan in so far as controlling immigration was concerned. Mr. Ishii showed that there would be a great difficulty in the way of obtaining amendments to the treaty at the present time, and the Premier said that a thorough understanding on both sides, if lived up to, would be even better. Mr. Ishii was of the same opinion, and will report to his government to that effect.

Heavy Immigration

Ottawa, Sept. 16.—For seven months of the fiscal year, ending July 31, the total immigration to Canada was 153,595, compared with 116,302 for the same time last year. This is an increase of 37,308. By ocean ports the immigration was 126,435, an increase of 39,820. From the United States it was 27,238, a decrease of 2,516.

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SALE OF CITY LOTS CAUSES DISCUSSION

Council Has Interesting Time Over Disposal of Some Property

It was a comparatively small matter which the council at last night's meeting had to consider, the sale of the city lots in the James Bay section, but practically the whole time of the civic fathers was devoted to this matter, and the discussion which arose therefrom occupied the greater part of the session and occasioned an amount of acrimony which larger issues in the past failed to bring out. Motions, amendments thereto, and fresh suggestions followed one another in rapid order, and it is doubtful if, when the subject was terminated, anyone had an altogether correct idea of just what had actually happened.

At the last meeting of the council it was determined to sell twenty-eight lots in the James Bay section, being twelve lots in block 66, bounded by Superior, Michigan and Montreal streets, and sixteen lots in block 50, bounded by Ontario, Montreal, Simcoe and St. Lawrence streets. The sale of the lots had been left to the city assessor and the property had been advertised for sale. The city solicitor had been asked to prepare a form of agreement, which the city should enter into with purchasers of the property and the assessor's figures as to the proper value of the lots had been accepted.

Solicitor's Letter.

The matter was brought to the attention of the meeting last night by a communication from the city solicitors who wrote as follows:

Gentlemen,—We have the honor to advise, upon the communication of the council with regard to preparing a form of agreement for the sale of these lots, under letter of the city clerk, dated 12th September, that we require instructions from the council upon the terms of the agreement.

We shall propose to make the contract, where the purchase money is not paid down, obligatory upon the purchaser not to register the same in the land registry, and the interest which the purchaser should pay on the unpaid purchase money, we suggest should be 7 per cent. per annum.

The council should determine whether they desire any building restrictions, both as to the material of construction and cost of erection and building line and class of fences, and whether there is to be a restriction against easements and buildings for manufacturing purposes.

We further suggest that the city should reserve a right of entry for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and repairing any work of public utility, as such a reservation will dispense with the necessity for seeking license or paying compensation in connection with the laying of sewers, branches, etc.

We should further be advised whether possession is to be given to purchasers making deferred payments.

We also suggest that Mr. Northcott should be given the power to enter into contracts for sale, subject to ratification by the council. The city will not give covenants for title, and we should be allowed to charge each purchaser with a nominal fee of \$5 for preparing and obtaining execution of the contracts, and a further \$2.50 for the conveyance when taken, or a sum of \$5 for conveyance if cash paid down. There is no reason why this usual charge should not be fixed upon the purchaser.

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No Restrictions

In this connection, too, Ald. Fell had given a notice of motion that he would move at last night's meeting a resolution that: "The building inspector be instructed to report to the council from time to time the offers received for the purchase of the lots in the James Bay section, and the council consider the same before any binding agreement is entered into."

In discussing the city solicitors' letter, Ald. Fell declared that there should be no restrictions, and the lots should be sold unencumbered.

City Solicitor Mann called the attention of the council to the point that under the law in the case of sewers the city would have to compensate owners of the lots if it were found necessary to put sewers through the property, and Ald. Fell stated that if sewers had to be constructed now was the time to do it.

Ald. Verinder suggested that before the lots were sold the city engineer should be instructed to report on a sewerage system in the property, and Ald. Weston declared that the council should put down streets, sewers and sidewalks because if such were done a better price could be obtained.

Workingman is Introduced

Everything went along smoothly and there appeared no violent objection to the recommendations of the various aldermen until Mayor Morley, in a plea for consideration of the working man, stated that he did not see why the legal charges, as suggested in the city solicitors' letter, should be so high. He cited his experience in California where the charges for papers prepared in a sale of land were merely nominal and the charge suggested

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in the solicitors' letter, \$5 for preparing and obtaining execution of the contracts, and a further charge of \$2.50 for the conveyance, if taken, was altogether too steep.

Ald. Fell moved that the city solicitor draw the agreements for sale with no restrictions except that the agreements were not to be registered, and the vendor's solicitors were to obtain a charge of \$5 for the agreements and \$2.50 for the deed, and if the purchaser took a deed at once, he got it for \$5; that the city engineer report as to the laying of sewers in the block, whether any lot or part of lot would have to be utilized for sewerage purposes.

Mayor Morley thought this would cause delay in the sale of the lots. Now that the property had been advertised it would be a great pity to hamper the sale in any way. Three lots had been practically sold already, and to add these restrictions would be a pity. He declared that many a poor man or working man would be willing to purchase one of the lots for a home, but if he had to pay the charges suggested by the city solicitor he would be unable to get a home. In California he had seen large sales of property go through at a mere fraction of the cost suggested by the solicitors. He dubbed the charge mentioned as a species of hold-up.

An Election Play

Ald. Hanna remarked that the mayor's remark about the poor people, balked in their desire to own a home savored somewhat of a play for support.

Ald. Fell—the elections are coming on. Mayor Morley declared Ald. Fell's motion, as set out in the latter's notice, was restricted, and thought that if the word "sales" were substituted for the word "offers" it would help.

Finally after an hour's discussion, much of it far away from the point at issue the motion of Ald. Fell was put, five voting for and four against, with one silent vote. Mayor Morley declared that the motion was lost, as the silent vote went with the negative. Ald. Hall was on his feet in an instant, objecting to the mayor's ruling, claiming that the silent vote went to the affirmative, while Ald. Fell, who had run counter to the mayor throughout the whole discussion, ejaculated: "You are apparently the whole bakery."

Finally, after order had been somewhat restored, the mayor admitted that he had incorrectly ruled on the vote and the resolution carried.

Ald. Henderson returned to the question of the cost of having the papers prepared. He claimed that a purchaser should have the privilege of getting his papers prepared by his own solicitor.

"I move that this debate be published in pamphlet form," suggested Ald. Hanna.

"Yes; for election purposes," added Ald. Fell.

Ald. Henderson maintained that every purchaser should pay for his own deed. The city did not get the money and he didn't see why the city solicitor should.

"Yet you voted him \$1,400 the other night," remarked Ald. Fell.

Case of Sudden Jump

Ald. Fell also asked how in case the value of the property should take a sudden jump the council was prepared to act. "We will take the price of the property as advanced," he thought that the council should have every offer submitted so that in such a contingency it could take advantage of any quick rise in values.

Finally Ald. Verinder relieved the tension somewhat by moving that the purchaser be given a deed from the city free of all cost, and Ald. Fell withdrew his motion as to the registration and question of solicitor's fees and the engineer's report on the sewerage matter, and Ald. Verinder's motion carried.

"It seems hard work to sell these few lots" remarked the mayor.

"This is establishing a precedent with a vengeance," answered Ald. Fell. This ended the matter except that it was decided that the assessor should submit all offers to the council, and in cases where the offers are accepted the usual agreements will be prepared and signed by the proper civic officials.

Aid for Telegraphers

Washington, Sept. 16.—As the result of recent conferences, President Compters, of the American Federation of Labor, will issue tomorrow an appeal for aid for the striking telegraphers. Discussing the address, Mr. Compters said today that the document had been completed and would be given to the public tomorrow. "It will be," he said, "a general request to organized labor for assistance financially and morally, in accordance with the pledge made at the recent meeting of the executive of the Federation."

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GOVERNMENT STREET PAVING PLANS ADOPTED

City Will Pay Half in Addition to Bearing Cost of Intersections

The first step in connection with the paving of Government street was taken last night by the city council when the resolution proposed by Ald. Henderson as amended at the suggestion of the city solicitor was passed as follows:

1. To replace the wooden block paving on Government street between Johnson and Courtenay streets with wooden blocks treated with creosote, the city to pay one-half the cost of the streets, and be assessed with the cost of the intersections;

2. To pave by means of wooden blocks placed on a concrete foundation, Waddington Alley, between Yates street and Johnson street, and lay a concrete sidewalk on the east side of the said alley;

3. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side Princess avenue from Douglas street to Blanchard street.

All of said work to be done by day labor and carried out under the provisions of the "Local Improvement Bylaw" and amendments thereto.

In this connection the city solicitors wrote: We have verbally advised His Worship the Mayor and the chairman of the streets, sewers and bridges committee on this subject. In our opinion the proposed carrying out of this work as a work of local improvement should be proceeded with, and we have suggested that the circumstances of the case will be met by the council by formal resolution deciding to contribute one-half of the proposed work in action to bearing the cost appertaining to intersections which, in the engineer and assessor's report, should be dealt with by assessing the city in line with all other owners under the provisions of section 12 of the general bylaw.

Ald. Fell stated that he did not think that the property owners on Government street should be called upon to pay any assessment on this proposed work until the remaining five years of the old term of assessment had been paid by the city in view of the fact that the old pavement has only lasted out one-half of the ten year term.

The matter ended with the suggestions of the city solicitors being adopted.

Other communications from the city solicitors were as follows:

Gentlemen: We have the honor to report upon the matters referred to us on the 9th instant as follows:

Re F. C. Winkler's application for permit for warehouse on Cordova Island.

By the application of Mr. Winkler, dated September 9, notice is given that, although he proposes to erect a building to be used for the storage of mine and mill supplies of various kinds, including lubricants, he does propose also to store inflammable articles, with the qualification that he does not propose to store them in quantity. We consider this admission places a responsibility upon the council of ascertaining from the applicant the nature of the inflammable articles he proposes to store, and that permit should be withheld until he gives this information.

In view of the former application of the same person, Mr. Winkler should be asked to give an assurance to the council, either in form of a bond or undertaking, that he will strictly comply with the statute and all city regulations with regard to the storage of lubricants and inflammables, and particularly the by-law recently passed prohibiting warehouses for inflammable substances in proximity to residential districts, etc. If this advice meets the views of the council we will prepare the document.

Re claim of Benjamin Delarge for damages sustained whilst working on the sewer. We have communicated with the city engineer's department and the medical health officer. We beg to recommend that this man's claim should be referred to his workshop, with powers to act upon the advice of the city solicitors.

Re communication of Thomas Green to chairman streets, bridges and sewer committee as to work done by him as sub-contractor on the pumping plant at Beaver lake. We have communicated with all necessary parties, and trust to be able to report very shortly that the council will not be troubled further in the matter.

We will duly advise the chairman of the finance committee as to the passing of the claim of Messrs. Ethel & Co. but with a firm of their standing the council could be satisfied with an assurance of indemnity against all claims by sub-contractors.

All the recommendations of the solicitor contained in the above communication were adopted by the council.

The streets, bridges and sewers committee reported recommending the following works:

1.—Recommend that the sewer be extended on Wallis street to Nootka street at a cost of \$450.

2.—In reference to the letter of J. S. Floyd, clerk of the Oak Bay municipality, re sewer on Foul Bay road. Recommend that an agreement be prepared by the city solicitor setting forth the conditions on which the Oak Bay municipality may connect certain premises with said sewer, namely: up the cash payment of one-half of the cost of constructing said sewer, which as stated will be \$400, and an annual payment of 3 cents per lineal foot on all property fronting on said sewer, whether any connections are made or not, and that the sewer be constructed entirely on the portion of Foul Bay road, which lies within the boundary of the City of Victoria. The section permit to connect should be accurately described and the Oak Bay municipality should be made responsible for all payments in respect of this agreement.

3.—Recommend that Belmont avenue be improved to the extent of an expenditure of \$100, in compliance with a petition from A. J. Pineo et al.

The Electric Light committee made the following recommendations, which were adopted:

Re petition for installation of a light at Carberry gardens: Recommended that the same be granted; cost not to exceed \$50, provided permission to use poles of the B. C. Electric railway company for the purpose be secured.

Recommend that the lamp at the corner of Vancouver and Mearns streets be removed to the corner of Vancouver and Fort streets, and that an additional lamp be installed on Mearns street between Vancouver and Cook streets; also one between Vancouver and Quadra streets. Cost of same not to exceed \$75.

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struction of a permanent (cement) sidewalk on south side of Durdette avenue from Blanchard avenue to Quadra street, as advertised.

Unless the street is first graded by the city the construction of the sidewalk is useless, and, in fact, detrimental in some cases.

U. S. Buys Welsh Coal

London, Sept. 16.—The U. S. navy department has, according to a despatch from Cardiff, Wales, contracted with Welsh firms for 100,000 tons of the best steam coal, the delivery to extend over 1908. The price agreed upon has been kept secret.

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NO RELIEF FROM
OTTAWA IS REPLY

Chinese Within the Law in Attending School to Evade Head Tax

COMMUNICATION IS RECEIVED

Official States Dominion Government's Position in the Matter—Trustees Stand Firm.

The Ottawa department can do nothing to alleviate the grievance of the local school board concerning the influx of Chinese children who attend school for 12 months in order to obtain a rebate on the head tax.

Not only can they do nothing, but their reply to the letter addressed to them by the provincial minister of education, a copy of which was read at last evening's meeting of the school board, is not of the kind that "turned away wrath." It is written by a gentleman named O'Hara, acting controller of Chinese immigration, who favors the department with his views upon the subject at some length. There is no uncertain tone about the letter.

Despite Mr. O'Hara's communication, the Victoria school trustees did not feel properly chastened when the communication was read.

"Politics have no place here, but such a reply is an insult," remarked one member.

Most of the others, while indignant, could not refrain from smiling at the admonitory tone of the epistle. And meanwhile the board will continue to refuse admission to the schools of the young Celestials who are willing to steep themselves in Occidental learning for a twelvemonth in order to secure a rebate of the \$500 head tax.

A copy of the letter from Hon. R. G. Taitow, in the absence of Dr. Young, acting minister of education, and another the reply of Mr. O'Hara, follows:

"Victoria, B. C., August 29, 1907.—W. G. Parmelee, Esq., I. S. O., Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce and Chief Controller of Chinese Immigration, Ottawa, Ont.:

"Sir: I beg to lay before you for the consideration of your department copy of letter received by this government from the Victoria city board of school trustees, accompanied with copies of correspondence between the school board and the collector of customs at Victoria.

"The question of providing school accommodation for the Chinese referred to in this correspondence is becoming a very serious one to the Victoria trustees, owing to the large number of Chinese, varying in age from 8 to 14 years, who have presented themselves for attendance at the schools this year. It would appear that the object of this school attendance is really to secure a rebate of the head tax of \$500 paid to the Dominion government on Chinese immigrants, and that the Victoria schools are being made use of in this manner simply to evade payment of this tax. Under the school law of British Columbia the city trustees are bound to provide school accommodations for children up to a certain age, and it certainly works a hardship on a community to be forced under the provisions of the 'Chinese Immigration Act' to provide schooling for any number of Chinese brought into this province and sent to our schools for 12 months merely to be able to qualify as 'students' for a rebate of their head tax.

"I shall be glad to know what interpretation your department places on the term 'student' for the purposes of this act and whether the authorities at this port are justified in admitting such students as are referred to in the enclosed correspondence, as it would appear that this is simply an evasion of the 'Chinese Immigration Act' so far as the head tax is concerned. I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

(Signed) ROBT. G. TAITOW,
"Acting Minister of Education."

Mr. O'Hara's letter is as follows:
Department of
Trade and Commerce,
Ottawa, Sept. 4, 1907.

The Acting Minister of Education,
Victoria, B. C.:

Sir:—In the absence of the chief controller of Chinese immigration, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of August 29th with enclosures.

In reply I beg to say that this department does not consider it an evasion of the act for Chinese children to pay the capitation tax and then attend school for 12 months and obtain refund of the amount. I enclose you a copy of the act. Subsection of section 6 specifically provides for this refund.

As for any inconvenience that may be caused by the arrival of so many Chinese children who desire to attend school, I may observe that of course it is expected that British Columbia will have more of such arrivals than any other province, and at the same time British Columbia's share of the capitation tax is very much larger than that of any of the other provinces. Recently this department paid over to British Columbia \$18,000; and this was very much less than the amount paid in former years when the capitation tax was only \$100. For the year ended 30th June, 1902, it amounted to \$258,000. It might be held, and I think with some reason, that in view of such a large payment to a province, such province would be called upon to provide any additional accommodation or other requirements necessary.

(Signed) F. C. T. O'HARA,
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MUSIC AND DRAMA

The New Grand

A really splendid hour and a half's show opened up the week at the New Grand last night to crowded houses. All of the eight numbers on the list are good. The features being the turns of the Uvaco Japanese troupe, and J. Edward Pierce and Miss Marie Roslyn, high-class operatic singers. The Japanese troupe is composed of two men and three little boys and a little girl, and most of the work is done by the little ones, of whom little Hatsu, the smallest, is the star. The feats include the balancing of a pole on the shoulders of one of the men while little Hatsu performs a variety of difficult acrobatic feats at the top, and a number of other feats of fast juggling and contortion work. The whole act making a great hit. Pierce and Roslyn appear in operatic duets and ballads, their repertoire including among other numbers, the Toreador song, from "Carmen," and the duet scene from "Il Trovatore." Mr. Pierce has one of the purest baritone voices ever heard here. He was in splendid voice last night, and the audience will make all their comparisons of singers in the future by him. Miss Roslyn's beautiful soprano was heard to good advantage in the duet scene, her numbers were repeatedly encored. Fred Duprey has a bright, clean and up-to-date turn of song and story, and caught on big at once. Harry Autrim and Yetta Peters in a skit they call "Tarry at Tank Town," introduced plenty of good comedy, good singing, vocal imitations, trick bone playing and whistling. L. T. Johnson, with the aid of the identical Irish and negro wooden figures which seem indispensable to such acts, proved to be one of the best ventriloquist ever heard here. Ernest L. Shaw appears to better advantage than last week in the illustrated song, "Bonnie Jean," and an amusing set of moving pictures, entitled "The Wrong Flat," conclude a great show for the money.

Pantages Theatre.

Notwithstanding the bad weather and counter attractions the Johnson street theatre received very fair patronage last night and presented a programme that was thoroughly appreciated in every particular. Miss Ola Hayden as a baritone vocalist is a big success and received well deserved applause. She possesses a voice of great compass.

Seville Mandeville & Co. have a one-act comedy entitled "Who's Guilty," which is away above the average. The child artist is particularly good and does some very clever work throughout the act and displays great ability.

Tyson, Feenall and Tyson, a trio of singers and dancers, appear in a very neat and novel singing and dancing act, which differs somewhat from most of acts of this type, and gave good satisfaction. Drake's educated sheep and leaping greyhounds go through some wonderful performances and are certainly as advertised, a very interesting animal act.

Tommy Lee shows a new song with illustrations, entitled "Stingy," and the funny moving pictures make a very attractive and entertaining programme.

"Uncle Josh Perkins."

"Uncle Josh Perkins" will undoubtedly attract a large audience at the Victoria theatre, when it is produced here tomorrow night, as the piece has proved one of the most popular of all rural comedies that have been produced in recent years. While "Uncle Josh Perkins" has a most interesting plot, the lines are well adapted to character, well drawn and the action natural and not forced. To add to the production, H. H. Frazee has equipped it with a complete scenic environment, while the acting company is made up of the very best metropolitan talent, and includes a number of well known favorites.

The Isle of Spice.

If you want to spend a jolly evening go and see the Isle of Spice at the Victoria theatre tonight. Last night the company played to a full house, and tonight even more people are expected to be present. The piece is taken, and will be if the people of Victoria want good wholesome fun, and are fond of bright music and very pretty stage pictures. There is no particular reason why this quaint musical mixture should be called "The Isle of Spice." Any other name would do as well. There is no plot worth mentioning, but that does not make any difference. The dialogue was written simply to be amusing; the scenes were designed simply to be pleasing, and in both respects the author achieved success. The prettiest musical number was undoubtedly Peggy Brady, by Miss Loretta Convey and chorus. This is really one of the most taking songs that the Victoria theatre has heard in many a day, and a more graceful and altogether charming songstress than Miss Convey it would be very hard indeed to find. It seemed as though the delighted audience would have been weary of insisting on a repetition of the catchy chorus of this very pretty song. A similar reception was given to Kashon, Mr. Alva E. Laing, in his song, with chorus, "Glorious High Ball." Miss Roberta Wilson, who was Teresa, the king's ward, and perhaps the leading lady, was very clearly, and in a very original and sweet voice. She made a capital hit. The comedy work was done by Mr. John Mylle, as King Bompoka, Mr. Harry H. Williams, as Mickey O'Grady, Mr. Harry B. Watson as Shubby Mackinnon, Miss Convey as Trunket, and Miss Mattie Martz as Karmora, an ex-queen. The quartet "How Can You Tell Tell You Try," sung by these four was very mirth-provoking and called for repeated encores.

The stage settings were very good and the costumes exceedingly attractive. The grotesque dancing was far above the average. There is no bad, properly speaking, and most of the dancing is done by the men. Some of the stage groupings are exceedingly effective. The audience declared its approval by constant applause. While none of the singing can be called great musically, it is all good, and the choruses are effective. But after all, the Isle of Spice is not something to be pulled to pieces and criticized. It is something to be seen and enjoyed. Pretty faces, pretty dresses, pretty scenery, pretty stage pictures and pretty music, combined with funny dialogue, which never becomes coarse, make up about a jolly evening's entertainment as can be desired.

Buffalo Hunt to Round up

Ronan, Mont., Sept. 16.—The round-up of the Pablo herd of buffalo for the new Canadian national park for shipment to Lamont, Alb., is making slow progress. The round up was stopped suddenly last Wednesday night, as the state of riders is inadequate to carry on the work. The buffalo are very wild, and it requires at least 50 men to handle them on the range.

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C. F. Davie, of the attorney-general's department, had an exciting experience with timber wolves while out shooting on Sunday last. Mr. Davie has a shooting lodge in the Sooke district and while he was out with a bird dog on Low Mountain, to the south of Deception gulch, while standing on a high log he heard a rustling in the bushes nearby. A small grey wolf shoved its head through the underbrush. Mr. Davie fired at it but missed. A second later he got another shot at the animal but again missed. Then he heard howling from the underbrush all around him. A big black wolf showed its nose for a second but disappeared without Mr. Davie's shot taking effect. Fully fifteen or twenty wolves, Mr. Davie estimates, were in a circle round about him, constantly howling and yelping. Try as he might he could not for some time get a fair shot at any of them until eventually he went into the brushwood. Finally another grey head showed through the branches, and this time Mr. Davie managed to bring it down. It proved to be that of a small grey she wolf, weighing about forty pounds.

Mr. Davie considers it fortunate that his dog, was as heel when he encountered the pack of wolves or he would have been minus him.

STEAMSHIP WAR IS
GOING MERRILY ON

Hamburg-American and Cunard
Lines Again Cut Their Rates

The steamship war on the Atlantic continues. Both the Hamburg-American and the Cunard lines have cut their rates, the Hamburg line nearly fifty per cent. over that of other years. The Hamburg-American line has advised E. E. Blackwood of another reduction in first cabin rates. The present minimum rate eastward from New York on all ships, except the Lusitania, America and Auguste Victoria, has been reduced to \$60 to Hamburg, \$67.50 to London and \$68.75 to Paris. The Cunard line has advised Mr. Blackwood that the eastbound first cabin rates to Liverpool have been reduced to \$77.50 on the Lusitania, \$80 on the Auguste Victoria, and \$82.50 on the Ivernia. The first cabin rate on the Ivernia and the Saxonia, formerly \$80, is reduced to \$57.50. The rates on the Lusitania will not be reduced.

Mrs. Chadwick III
Columbus, O., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Cassie M. Chadwick, the noted witch of finance, who, posing as Andrew Carnegie's natural daughter, swindled the western banks and capitalists out of millions in loans on bogus securities, was stricken with nervous breakdown at the penitentiary today, which has left her blind. Her condition is serious, and the opinion of the prison physicians is that she will never live to serve out her ten years' sentence, two years of which she has now completed.

Lusitania's Passengers
The Cunard Steamship company has advised E. E. Blackwood that the Lusitania, which reached New York last Friday, had a total of 2,380 pas-

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BEDROOM NO. 3—Bedroom suite, 2 chairs, comfort.
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sengers, including 500 first cabin. They also advise that the Lucania, which reached New York last Friday, had a total of 1,200 passengers of whom 375 were first-class. On the Lusitania sailing from New York next Saturday the following Victorians have engaged passage: R. W. Donaldson, T. H. Flitcroft, Gustave Want, Mrs. Want, Miss L. Duchene, P. Pottinger, E. Pottinger and Mrs. Pottinger. All travel east to New York via the Northern Pacific.

Will Re-Open Monarch Mine
Kamloops, B. C., Sept. 6.—The Canadian Concentrating & Smelting Company intend re-opening the Monarch mine at Field, and will at once erect an aerial tramway. The company has a carload of tramway timbers all ready framed, on the way from Vancouver.

After the location of the upper and lower terminals have been decided upon, rock work will be at once started for the foundations and as the tramway is installed the company will ship ore to one of the Kootenay smelters.

For the present the zinc ore will be held at the mine pending the completion of the concentrating plant, the machinery for which has been purchased and will arrive during the next few months.

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WHERE THE BLAME LIES.

In an interview printed in the Times some days ago, Mr. Templeman, referring to the Bowser Bill, said that it was to be assumed that the Lieutenant-Governor acted upon Mr. McBride's advice in withholding his assent from that measure. As was shown by a Vancouver despatch in Sunday's Colonist, Mr. McBride expressly denied that he had so advised His Honor, and the makes a further and fuller statement through the Colonist this morning. The Lieutenant-Governor can hardly be expected to grant interviews to newspapers upon public questions, and therefore it is impossible to learn from him why he felt called upon to take a course, to which he had not been advised by His Minister, but it would not be difficult to discover a reason for his so doing if it were necessary to indulge in any speculation on the subject. The policy of the Dominion government in regard to legislation directed against Japanese immigration is so well known that there is no justification in ignoring it, and the Lieutenant-governor of a province, being an officer of the Dominion government, may be expected to give effect to the known policy of that government. In the session of 1903-04 and again in the session of 1905 the British Columbia legislature passed a bill substantially identical in principle with the Bowser Bill. The first bill was assented to by the Lieutenant-Governor and disallowed by the Governor-General in due course. The second bill was passed by the legislature with full knowledge of the fate of the previous one, and was intended simply as the most conclusive way in which the opinion of the people of British Columbia could be expressed on the question of Oriental immigration. It was also disallowed. There was not a man in the legislature who supposed that the Bowser Bill would be allowed to remain in force, even if assented to by the Lieutenant-Governor, although most of the members probably supposed that it would pass through the same stages as the two previous measures. It was intended as an assertion by the representatives of the people of British Columbia of the views of their constituents. When, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor informed Mr. McBride that he would hold the bill for the signature of the Governor-General's pleasure the Premier can hardly have been surprised, and later when the Secretary of State at Ottawa mentioned the matter to him casually, it was only natural that Mr. McBride should tell him what the Lieutenant-Governor had said. If the Secretary of State telegraphed to the Lieutenant-Governor asking if he intended to withhold his assent, it was only in order that he might know if it would be necessary to send special instructions to that effect.

These are the facts which are of any importance in this connection. Where does the responsibility rest? Not upon Mr. McBride, for he cannot be held to have taken the responsibility of an act of the Lieutenant-Governor, which he did not advise, and which that official performed as an officer of the Dominion government. The responsibility rests upon the Dominion government, which saw fit to adopt a policy of disallowance in respect to such measures, and, so far as this province is especially concerned, upon Mr. Templeman, who was a member of the Cabinet when the first two bills were disallowed, and also when the Anglo-Japanese treaty, which confers upon Japanese full privilege of entry and residence in this country, was adopted by the Parliament of Canada. Against this bill he made no protest; neither did any British Columbian protest except only Mr. Kennedy of New Westminster. Mr. Templeman has said that there is an assumption that Mr. McBride advised the Lieutenant-Governor, but this assumption has been shown to be absolutely without foundation. There is not simply an assumption, but absolute certainty of record that Mr. Templeman himself is directly responsible for the policy, which led to the disallowance of the bills of 1903-4 and 1905, and the reservation of the bill of 1907 for the Governor-General's pleasure. Mr. McBride has cleared himself of any blame in the premises Mr. Templeman cannot hope to do so by any rule of logic or constitutional principle or in the opinion of the electors of British Columbia.

It may be well to say a few words as to the effect of the Lieutenant-Governor's action upon his relations

with Mr. McBride. We quoted from Bourne the other day his opinion that the power of the lieutenant-governor to act as a Dominion official and override the advice of his ministry "cannot be explained in accordance with the principles of responsibility that govern a ministry," but this does not wholly dispose of the question, for it might well be that a premier might feel that such an act was so opposed to his whole policy that he could no longer serve as the chief adviser of the lieutenant-governor. But as not every hostile vote of parliament must be taken as a vote of want of confidence, so not every act of a lieutenant-governor which a premier does not advise, must be taken as calling for the resignation of the premier. Each case must stand upon its own merits. When Lieutenant-Governor Dunsmuir told Mr. McBride that he proposed to withhold his assent from the Bowser Bill, the premier knew that in so doing he was only anticipating the certain action of the Dominion government. The legislature had made its protest in the most emphatic way in which a protest could be made. There was not the least chance of the Bill remaining law, even if the Lieutenant-Governor assented to it. What useful purpose could the Lieutenant-Governor have served by assenting to it? What useful purpose could Mr. McBride have served by resigning? And if he could serve no useful purpose by resigning, why should he resign? His resignation would have meant a new election and no matter what the electors had decided at that election, it would not have altered the policy of the Dominion government, for which Mr. Templeman is absolutely responsible. If the question were one that could have been determined one way or the other by an appeal to the electorate of British Columbia, it perhaps would have been Mr. McBride's duty to have placed his resignation in the hands of His Honor, but it is no possibility could such a result have been reached in this case, and as constitutional practice can never be construed so as to necessitate a useless appeal to the electorate, it cannot be held that the Lieutenant-Governor placed Mr. McBride under any obligation to resign on the occasion mentioned.

CHINESE "CHILDREN"

Of all the official letters that it has been the fortune of the Colonist to peruse, that written by the acting controller of the Department of Commerce to the provincial government in regard to the entry of so-called Chinese children into British Columbia is a little the most absurd. The letter completely begs the whole question. It displays wilful ignorance on the part of its writer as to what the law is which he attempts to interpret. There is no provision in the act for "children" to enter the country, except where it is provided that children born of Chinese parents in Canada may return to the Dominion. There is no provision in the act about children being entitled to a refund of the capitation tax after attending school in Canada 18 months. There is no reference whatever to children in this connection, but to students, who may or may not be children, and the period for which they must attend school is not 18 months, but one year. After he had made this absurd blunders, readers of the letter would not be much surprised to find the controller arguing that we ought not to object to paying for the education of these "children," seeing that we get our share of the capitation tax. Seeing that we would have to refund our share of the tax, it would be interesting to have the controller inform us what possible good it would be to get it in the first place.

We assume that the controller's letter was not written without the approval of the minister, and if this is the case it seems time that there was a new minister. When a department cannot be trusted to read correctly an act of Parliament, and when it is so absurd as to suggest that the province can meet an expenditure out of money that it cannot keep, and which in point of fact it would never get, for before any share of the tax has been received by the province the "student" would be entitled to get it back again, it is surely time that some one was in charge of it who would be able to exercise a little rudimentary knowledge.

The controller tells us that the province should provide the accommodation needed by the Chinese because it gets the tax they pay, but as it does not get this tax it seems to follow that the accommodation should not be provided. If not, why not? But the province is under no such obligation. The province is not obliged to maintain schools here to enable Chinese to secure a refund of the capitation tax. It does not deny nor seek to repudiate its obligation to provide a means whereby the children of Chinese born in the country shall receive an education, but it is under no obligation to maintain educational establishments for the benefit of Chinese coming into the country, whether they come in good faith as students or only for the purpose of attending school so as to get back their \$500. Under the construction which the controller puts upon the law and the obligations of the province an unlimited number of Chinamen could come here, put up their \$500, go to school for a year, so as to learn enough English to be able to speak it readily, get back their \$500

and remain in the country indefinitely. If this is what the Chinese exclusion law means it is a very different measure from what we were told it was.

The post office employees want an increase of salary. The government ought to display no hesitancy in complying with the request, as it is notorious that the cost of living has increased to a burdensome degree.

Judge Russell of Halifax has discovered serious flaws in the Chinese Exclusion Act, the effect of his ruling being that Chinese smuggled into the country cannot be punished. The government should lose no time in rectifying this.

The report of the discovery of a seam of good coal at Quatsino is most important. No doubt the opening up of mines at that point would materially bear upon its future as an ocean terminus of one of the great transcontinental railway systems.

The long-expected serious accident has resulted to a pedestrian as a result of protruding nails in the old wooden sidewalks. When the Corporation shall have been mulcted in a suit for heavy damages, perhaps the authorities will wake up and take steps to remedy the grievance.

The great scarcity of domestic servants in British Columbia is to be relieved to some extent by the arrival at the coast in a few days of girls from England. We hope they may be but the advance guard of many more to follow. There are vacancies for hundreds of good female servants.

The ratepayers of Vancouver have endorsed bylaws calling for the expenditure of about half a million dollars for civic improvements. Our neighbors across the Gulf seize every occasion to demonstrate that they have unbounded faith in the future of their city.

With the suppression of Vancouver's disposition to indulge in outbursts of mob violence, public attention will now be diverted to Prince Rupert, where Mr. John Houston is going to endeavor to demonstrate that the pen is mightier than the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company.

Mr. W. E. Ditchburn, who has been connected with the mechanical department of the Colonist, has withdrawn to accept a position in connection, we understand, with the editorial staff of the Times. He takes with him the best wishes of every one connected with the Colonist. We are all sorry that he has left us, but are glad to know that the change is to his advantage.

The Canadian Medical Association has passed a resolution urging on the Dominion Government the necessity of creating a Department of Public Health. With the tremendous number of immigrants pouring into the country one would imagine that the duty of the government in this connection would be an obvious and pressing one.

The popular impression has always been that the "sinews of war" meant money. The United States has made the uncomfortable discovery that coal is the most important factor, and that Great Britain possesses a monopoly of this most essential commodity. The astounding announcement is now made that coal must be obtained from England in order that the U. S. Atlantic fleet may be enabled to make the trip to the Pacific.

Nearly everyone who make the cross-country trip from Nanaimo to Alberni is loud in praise of the excellence of the roads. Hon. J. H. Turner, who returned from Alberni on Saturday, is quoted as saying: "It was a most delightful drive, along as perfect a road as one can imagine." This is a high compliment, coming as it does from one who for the past ten years has lived in a country boasting of the finest roadways in the world.

It is very gratifying to be informed by a prominent Toronto investment broker that the people of Eastern Canada now realize that British Columbia mines have "made good", and are again exhibiting the greatest interest in the progress of the industry in this Province. It is quite an achievement to have eliminated their distrust, which was engendered by the destructive "wild-catting" wave of ten years ago.

The government will be adopting a wise course, and one which will be heartily endorsed by Canadian public opinion, if it determines to prosecute and punish press correspondents who send false reports calculated to lead to international embarrassments. The incident of the outbreak of mob violence at Vancouver the other day was magnified beyond all legitimate bounds. We can very well afford to allow the United States to have a monopoly of "yellow journalism."

The Bishop of London has been making some notable addresses since his arrival in Canada. At Ottawa on Friday he gave voice to this message to Canadians: "The religion of progress is Christianity. If you wish to become one of the most progressive nations of the world, be a Christian nation before everything else." If our course of conduct shall be influenced to any extent by this splendid and timely advice from His Lordship, his visit to this country will not have been in vain.

Canada will shortly be visited by a distinguished clerical dignitary on a most important and interesting mission. A Canadian Associated Press

cable from London of recent date, says that the Rev. F. B. Meyer has begun a great national ministry scheme at Leicester, with the idea of uniting all the free churches of Great Britain and her Overseas Dominions into one great free church federation for the Empire. Mr. Meyer will visit South Africa, Australia and Canada successively starting next year.

Than British Columbia, there is no portion of the Dominion so interested in the announcement of the arrival at New York yesterday of a large party of financial editors of British newspapers, who are to inspect and study the resources of Canada. We hope they may be able to spend a considerable portion of their time in this Province. There is much here that they ought to see. The Provincial Government might very properly arrange to show them some special attention and place at their disposal every facility for visiting the various districts.

In the interview which we published on Sunday morning, with Mr. R. L. Pfister of Los Angeles, that gentleman made an extremely interesting suggestion respecting an innovation which might be adopted here in regard to the better illumination of the business thoroughfares. As he says, if artistic electric lights were placed every hundred feet, the effect would be very pretty. The business people of Los Angeles have found the idea to be a paying one, and we have no doubt that it would work out similarly here. The matter is one to which the civic authorities and the Tourist Association ought to give some attention.

It is noticeable that almost without exception the press of Canada unite in denouncing in unmeasured terms that failure of the authorities at Vancouver to maintain the supremacy of the British law on the occasion of the outbreak of mob violence at that city. A typical comment is the following from the Montreal Star: "The hoodlum attack upon the Japanese quarter of Vancouver is to be deeply regretted from every point of view. Even the British Columbians, who are most anxious to exclude Oriental immigration of all kinds, will see that this outbreak must weaken their position before the country and the country's position before the world. Under no circumstances can Canada be the cause of driving a wedge between the British Empire and its valued and powerful ally in the East. We may not have to make sacrifices for the Imperial cause right at this point, but if we must, we must, and the rest of the Dominion is bound to bear in mind the special weight which they will fall upon one of the provinces. Certainly we cannot tolerate the mobbing of any class of citizens who have been admitted to the country and to the protection of our laws. Hoodlumism must be outlawed—whatever solution may be finally reached in the matter of Japanese immigration."

Really we must ask the Times to try to be accurate. The Colonist's Ottawa correspondent did not say that "Mr. Templeman's anti-Oriental sentiments had proved very embarrassing to the Premier of Canada," as our contemporary states, but only that his "untimely observations" had "simply astounded" people in the East, and that would they not tend to put the Japanese government in a humor to accede to the request of the Ottawa government. Our correspondent did not mention the Premier of Canada in that connection, neither did he say that Mr. Templeman was anti-Oriental. We do not know just what one of the minister's observations excited surprise in the East, but we assume that it was his expression of a preference for Chinese over Japanese, and his classing the latter with the Doulchobors. We are glad that our contemporary quoted freely from the Colonist's columns on this subject. We hope it will do so again, for we would be glad to have as many people as possible read what we have to say on this important question. Our contemporary says that the adoption of the Anglo-Japanese treaty by parliament did not affect in any way the rights of Japanese in Canada. We shall give this matter further attention, but in the meantime would like to be told, if our contemporary can tell us, why the treaty was submitted to Parliament at all under these circumstances.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

Vancouver's Responsibility.

In the first instance the authorities of Vancouver are responsible for their failure to check the riot and for their failure to look for some excuse better than that they feared that the weight of public opinion would be against them. In the next resort it might be urged perhaps that it is rather the affair of the Province of British Columbia at large, since the responsibility of the administration of justice—great phrase—is imposed through the constitutional act upon the attorney-general of the province. But of course it is in the last resort a situation in which the Dominion government must act. It is a matter of foreign treaty, and the statements of British countries have been framed in the belief that foreign treaties are made to be observed, not broken. Canadian diplomacy, so far as such a thing may be said to exist, has lent its aid quite heartily to every effort of the British diplomats to make the Japanese alliance something worth having.

But apart from all this it is a sure thing that Canadian public opinion will not be satisfied with anything short of the fullest reparation of injuries put upon the Japanese residents of the country. The point to be remembered is that we have entered a bargain and must keep it. If we wish to break it we can do so in honor only upon due notice by the Canadian government of the Canadian desire to terminate the treaty. Assaults upon individual Japanese or their properties are in every way vicious. Through them we lose our self-respect, which is the main point and let ourselves in for the possibility of a deal of trouble which is also worth considering.—Ottawa Journal.

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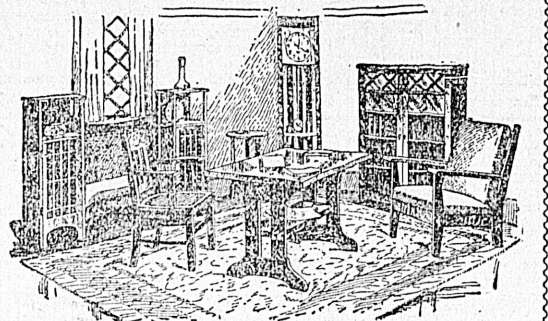
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Vancouver Trustees Introduce Motion for Convenience of Pupils

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 16.—The pupils of Vancouver high school will soon enjoy the introduction of an innovation of United States origin which will enable them to obtain hot lunches in the high school building at moderate cost. The Board of School Trustees Friday evening decided to adopt the recommendation of a special committee reporting favorably upon the offer of Miss Adams and Miss Mitchell to supply hot lunches at a moderate cost if the trustees will install ranges and appoint a room for luncheon purposes in the high school building.

Chairman McLennan reported for the special committee and outlined the plan of the ladies. It was shown that a wholesome menu will be provided by these ladies so that pupils can sit down quietly in the lunch room and enjoy whatever they like at the merest margin above the actual cost of production. Scholars carrying their own lunches may supplement them with coffee or any delicacy they may choose, and it was intimated that a wholesome lunch can be obtained on the ground for about fifteen cents. The cost of installing ranges and hot water apparatuses was estimated at \$250.

Chairman McLennan expressed the full confidence of the committee in the ladies undertaking the scheme, and Trustees Douglas and Duke favored the plan after hearing the endorsement offered by Superintendent Argue. The plan will be accepted, the ranges installed and the rooms assigned under supervision of the building committee.

Maggie Closes Down

Vancouver, Sept. 16.—Owing to the dropping of copper to 16c a pound, all stopped and the mine closed down for shipments from the Maggie have the season. The manager, O. B. Rombarer and family, left this week for their home in Butte, Mont. It is not likely that operations will be resumed on the Maggie until copper gets back somewhere near to where it belongs.

Supplies for Stewart River

Whitehorse, Y. T., Sept. 16.—After a great amount of red tape, the little steamer Pauline was permitted to sail from Dawson on a trip up the Stewart river in which mining district work would have been suspended for the winter had not the Pauline been permitted to make the trip. She carried all the freight she could stow away and if she can get in another trip or two, the pressure of the Stewart country will be relieved for the coming winter.

Investigating Fraud

Nelson, Sept. 16.—John Dunlop, Dominion immigration officer, stationed at Fernie, arrived in town last evening upon instructions from the immigration department to make an full investigation as possible into the case of the young Scotsman who was induced to migrate to British Columbia under false pretences by the British Emigration, Tourist and Colonization society, and to report the result of his inquiries in detail at the earliest opportunity.

Predict Great Future

Chilliwack, B. C., Sept. 16.—A. Lineham, Victoria, is spending a few days in the valley. Mr. Lineham was at one time assistant superintendent on the B. C. E. in Victoria, and has been an extensive traveler in Australia, Argentine Republic, South Africa and many parts of the United States. In expressing his opinion of the valley he declared that in all the places he had been Chilliwack beat them all, and he predicted a wonderful future when once the railway and tram lines were completed.

Typhoid Among Japanese

Vancouver, Sept. 16.—At the regular monthly meeting of the health council on Saturday last the health officer recommended the cleaning of the ditches in Stevenson. He reported 45 cases of typhoid fever amongst the Japanese and among the Indians. He attributed them to the drinking of the river water.

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HINDUS IN DEPLORABLE PLIGHT IN VANCOUVER

Cattle on Farms Have Better Accommodation Than Is En- joyed by New Comers

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 16.—Nankath Das, a local leader of the Hindus, stated Saturday that the conditions under which the Hindus who recently arrived on the Montague were living was worse than the cattle on many ranches in the province. Personally, he had tried to secure houses for them, but the owners would not rent them to Hindus. At present 150 are living in a ten-room house on Second avenue, 250 at the Maple Leaf boarding house, and 150 in tents. These large crowds in such small quarters were creating sanitary conditions which it was feared would result in the creation of an epidemic. The men are also feeling the effects of the chilly nights and a number are already suffering from heavy colds. To meet the conditions a committee of the Hindus has been struck, of which Mr. Das is a member, for collecting funds, for the construction of a temporary home for Hindus who may come in the future.

Work is being found for the last immigrants as rapidly as possible, nearly 100 going over to New Westminster this morning. Mr. Das does not think, however, that it will be possible to find employment for the entire number in the immediate future. He is advising the men to locate outside of the city in view of the present feeling against Asiatic immigration.

From what can be learned from the Hindus just arrived, there are large numbers of the race contemplating coming to the province this season. The chief reason for the immigration is said to be that the taxation in the Punjab is so high as to compel the men to abandon their farms. In some cases it runs as high as from 60 to 75 per cent. of the product, the largest item being the charges for irrigation. Under these circumstances the men cannot make a living, and, inspired by letters from the Hindus in Canada, are coming here in large numbers.

City Solicitor Cowan and Medical Health Officer Underhill Saturday drew up a letter to Ottawa which was signed by Mayor Bethune and forwarded. The chief point covered by the communication was that the Dominion government was responsible for the present condition of affairs, and should instantly provide permanent immigration quarters at this port, under the charge of an official who would look after the welfare of new arrivals.

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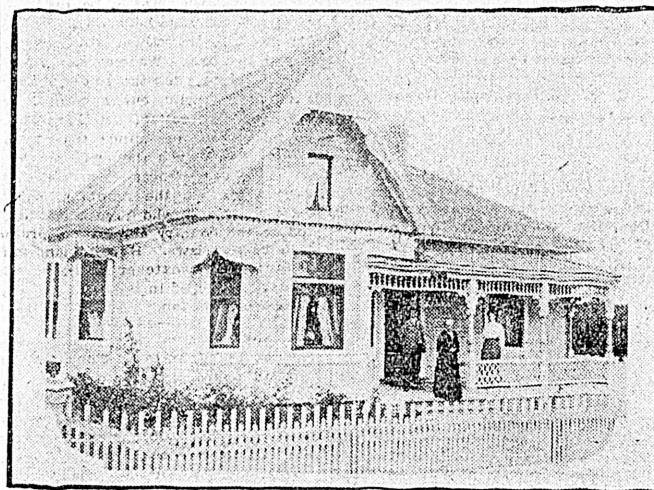
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Prof. W. J. Judges will open his dancing school on Tuesday, Sept. 17th, in Sir William Wallace Hall. School from 8 to 9. Dancing from 9 to 12.

Remember the Islands Agricultural Exhibition at Ganges, S. S. Island, Saturday, Sept. 21. Good programme of sports and attractions. Association Football, Ladysmith vs. S. S. Island. Take V. & S. Ry. and str. Iroquois.

NEWS OF THE CITY

Goes to Another Department
Hon. F. J. Child, who was secretary to Hon. J. J. Patton, chief commissioner of lands and works, will in future act as secretary to Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general. Under this arrangement Mr. Child will be able to complete his course in law.

Outpost of Empire
The Tourist association has sent out 1,000 copies of "Outpost of the Empire" to as many Alberta farmers, with the object of advertising both Victoria and the fair. Information is enclosed regarding the special rates which are to be put in force while the fair is on.

Chief Langley Back
Chief of Police John M. Langley, who has been holidaying for the past 10 days at Sooke lake, returned to the city yesterday. Chief Langley has been enjoying himself fishing, at which sport he had considerable success. He was accompanied by Mrs. Langley.

Building Permits
Alderman W. J. Hanna was yesterday granted a permit for a new residence, two stories and basement, which he proposed to erect at the corner of Pandora and Camousan streets at a cost of \$4,000. A permit was also granted to Alexander Bruce for an addition to his residence, Langford street, to cost \$250.

Liquor Cases Again Remanded
The liquor license prosecutions were again remanded yesterday. City Solicitor Mann stating that certain witnesses for the city were not forthcoming. Accordingly another remand was granted till Thursday morning at 10:30. Frank Higgins and G. H. Bernard, for the defense, were present ready to proceed had the prosecution been prepared.

They Want an Agent
The secretary of the board of trade has received a communication from a Sheffield firm manufacturing table cutlery, electro plated goods, saws and the like, stating that it would like to appoint an agent for the sale of its goods in British Columbia. The secretary will be glad to furnish particulars to anyone who may be interested in the matter.

Leave for Comox
J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, goes up to Comox today to the fair held in that district this week. He will act as judge of a number of agricultural products. F. M. Logan, provincial commissioner of live stock and dairy products, also goes up to Comox, where he will judge some of the live stock. On Saturday he will attend the fair at Salt Spring Island for the same purpose.

C. P. R. President's Donation
Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific railway, has forwarded to Mr. Marpole a check for \$5,000, the amount of his promised subscription to the Anti-Tuberculosis association's funds. The committee in charge greatly appreciates the promptness with which Sir Thomas' promise was fulfilled. The city of Vancouver is expected shortly to forward a check for a similar amount.

Bank of Vancouver
A new bank will probably be started in the west in the near future to be known as the Bank of Vancouver. Application for a charter for the new venture which, it is stated, is to have a capitalization of \$5,000,000 is looked for in an early issue of the Canada Gazette. The capitalists behind the enterprise are said to include Victoria and Vancouver men, as well as eastern interests.

Apply for Receiver
Application will be made in chambers tomorrow before Mr. Justice Clement to have a receiver appointed for the Nanaimo Gas company. The notice of motion states that Richard Hall, Fred McB. Young, J. E. Kinsman and Thomas Shotbolt are bringing suit against the gas company, and they want a receiver appointed to carry on the business pending its trial. Peters & Wilson are solicitors for the applicants.

Got Big Silver Wolf
C. F. Davie of the attorney-general's department has added a big timber wolf to his list of trophies. While hunting deer at Sooke lake he ran across a pack of wolves and succeeded in bagging one of them. The wolves had scared away the deer from that part of the country, and but for the wolf Mr. Davie would have had his trouble for nothing. There seems to be quite a number of timber wolves in the Sooke lake district this autumn.

Victoria Musical Society
Nearly 150 applications have been received for membership in the Victoria Musical society's chorus. Application for membership should be sent to Gideon Hicks, the conductor, at 64 Douglas street, before the end of this week, when the list will be closed. Copies of the "Banner of St. George" and the "Wedding Feast" are expected to arrive daily. As soon as they are received the rehearsal will start immediately, as it is the intention to give the concert in November.

Day of Atonement
Yom Kippur, the most sacred of all Jewish fast days, the day of expiation, will be celebrated by the local Hebrews today, when from sunset to starlight tomorrow they will observe the day by following the biblical injunction and fasting absolutely. The ten days preceding the Yom Kippur are called the "Ten Days of Atonement." Tonight at the Synagogue, corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets, the Kol Nedra will be observed and tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock the Yom Kippur.

Teachers' Institute Meeting
The Victoria teachers' institute will hold its regular quarterly meeting Friday afternoon next in the Y. M. C. A. hall at 2:30 p. m. Mr. Dobson, the new singing master, will give a paper on the "Teaching of Singing in the Public Schools," while Miss Russell will relate her experience while studying the latest methods of teaching in European schools. Miss Russell spent the greater part of last term traveling among the leading schools in Europe and has picked up many valuable hints, which she will give to the institute. Both subjects will be open to debate after the papers have been read.

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THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE.

Victoria, B.C., 8 p.m., Sept. 16, 1907.

Synopsis.
An extensive low barometer area is spreading inland over this province. It is causing considerable rain on Vancouver Island, the lower Mainland and southward to the northern coast. The weather is fine along the northern coast. With the exception of showers in Alberta, the weather is fair and cool in the prairie provinces.

Temperature.
Min. Max.
Victoria, B. C. 51 57
Vancouver 51 56
New Westminster 50 58
Kamloops 48 58
Barkerville 34 38
Fort Simpson 44 56
Athol 26 44
Dawson, Y. T. 34 46
Calgary, Alta. 36 52
Winnipeg, Man. 44 44
Portland, Ore. 54 61
San Francisco, Cal. 56 63

Forecasts.
For 24 hours from 5 a.m. (Pacific time), Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Winds chiefly southerly, unsettled with showers, not much change in temperature.
Lower Mainland—Winds chiefly easterly or southerly, unsettled with rain, not much change in temperature.

Victoria Daily Weather.
Sunday—Highest 59, lowest 52, mean 56, rain .07 inch, sunshine 24 minutes.
Monday—Highest 57, lowest 51, mean 54, rain .26 inch, sunshine 12 minutes.

VICTORIA TIDE TABLE

September, 1907.
(Issued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
1	4:32	3.1	.....	2:29	7.7	
2	5:22	2.9	.....	2:04	7.8	
3	6:10	2.7	.....	1:42	7.9	
4	6:56	2.5	.....	1:23	8.0	
5	7:33	2.3	.....	1:09	8.1	
6	8:08	2.1	.....	1:00	8.2	
7	8:41	1.9	.....	1:00	8.3	
8	9:12	1.7	.....	1:00	8.4	
9	9:41	1.5	.....	1:00	8.5	
10	10:08	1.3	.....	1:00	8.6	
11	10:33	1.1	.....	1:00	8.7	
12	10:56	0.9	.....	1:00	8.8	
13	11:17	0.7	.....	1:00	8.9	
14	11:36	0.5	.....	1:00	9.0	
15	11:53	0.3	.....	1:00	9.1	
16	12:08	0.1	.....	1:00	9.2	
17	12:21	0.0	.....	1:00	9.3	
18	12:32	0.0	.....	1:00	9.4	
19	12:41	0.0	.....	1:00	9.5	
20	12:48	0.0	.....	1:00	9.6	
21	12:53	0.0	.....	1:00	9.7	
22	12:57	0.0	.....	1:00	9.8	
23	1:00	0.0	.....	1:00	9.9	
24	1:02	0.0	.....	1:00	10.0	
25	1:04	0.0	.....	1:00	10.1	
26	1:06	0.0	.....	1:00	10.2	
27	1:08	0.0	.....	1:00	10.3	
28	1:10	0.0	.....	1:00	10.4	
29	1:12	0.0	.....	1:00	10.5	
30	1:14	0.0	.....	1:00	10.6	

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures used for height are to distinguish high water from low water.
The height is in feet and tenths of a foot above level of the lowest low water in each month of the year. This level is half a foot lower than the Datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.
For Esquimalt (at the Dry Dock) add to time of tide at Victoria 15 min. or high water 14 m. for low water 17 m.

Wins Scholarship
Miss Thelma Davies, daughter of Arthur Davies of Rockland avenue, has distinguished herself by passing fourth in her matriculation examination for McGill university. As she was two years younger than any of the higher candidates, she was awarded a scholarship of \$100 a year by the university officials. Miss Davies was last year one of the students of the Victoria college, and in compliance with the terms of the scholarship has gone into residence at Victoria college, Montreal.

Fine Samples of Fruit
R. H. Nunn of Esquimalt has produced some fine Concord grapes this season, which have ripened well in the open air. He yesterday presented some specimens to J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture. Mr. Anderson is also in receipt of some fine specimens of apples grown by R. M. Woodward of Lower Nicola. They are of the Yellow Transparent variety and look very fine. It is only a few years since many people believed that apples could not be grown at Nicola, but the fact is now well established that Nicola is well adapted for fruitgrowing.

OBITUARY NOTICES.

The remains of the late Sidney Shore were laid to rest yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from the family residence, Esquimalt road, at 3 o'clock, from where the cortege proceeded to St. Saviour's church, Victoria west, where service was conducted by Rev. C. E. Cooper, who also officiated at the grave. The service was in attendance and appropriate hymns were sung. There was a very large attendance of sympathizing friends at the church and the funeral offerings were beautiful and numerous. The members of the Ancient Order of Foresters attended in a body. The pallbearers were Thomas Redding, J. Mansell, G. N. Hodson, C. R. Carter and J. S. Tagg and R. Carter representing the A. O. F.

The funeral of the late Ellen Osborne took place Sunday afternoon from the parlors of the British Columbia Funeral Furnishing company, 52 Government street, and the many friends that were in attendance and the large quantity of beautiful floral designs that were sent, went to show the esteem in which the deceased lady was held. Rev. G. K. B. Adams conducted impressive services both at the parlors and the graveside. The following acted as pallbearers: George Fish, John Frederick, J. Arnall, J. Ralph, P. Mitchell, D. Irvine.

The funeral of the infant son of W. C. Irvine, of Brandyview, Saskatchewan, took place yesterday from the residence of Mrs. Holmes, Parry street, the child's grandparent, Rev. Mr. Gladstone officiated.
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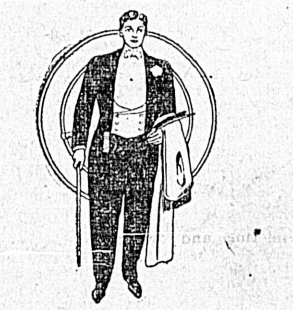
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NOVA SCOTIA STEEL MAGNATE IN VICTORIA

Graham Fraser of New Glasgow Is in West on Pleasure Trip

Graham Fraser, of New Glasgow, N. S., and Mrs. Fraser are guests at the Driad hotel. Mr. Fraser is connected with the Dominion Steel works at Sydney, N. S., and the subsidiary enterprises connected therewith. In 1873 he established the small forge from which has grown the big steel plant which now employs 4,000 men in its mines and works in Nova Scotia and Newfoundland. The greater portion of the ore is mined in Newfoundland and shipped by steamer to Sydney, N. S., where the steel works are located in proximity to the coal mines owned by the company.

Mr. Fraser said yesterday his visit here was for pleasure, having come to look over the west of which he had heard so much. Speaking as to the opportunities for the establishment of a steel plant here he said that if the iron and coal was here in sufficient quantity, and he was informed that it was, there was a great opening for such an enterprise, shipping conditions being favorable. The best site would be near the coal mines whether the ore could be shipped from the mines used to supply the works. A blast furnace would be the initial work, steel works and rolling mills following. He had not looked into the possibilities, but from what he had heard, such an enterprise should prove successful.

Orchestral Society

The season of the Victoria Amateur Orchestral society commences tomorrow evening when the first rehearsal will be held in Waitt's hall, Government street. Under the direction of Benedict Bantly the society has done excellent work in the past and the prospects for the approaching season are glowing. Any amateur instrumentalists desirous of joining are invited to be present at the rehearsal on Wednesday evening or to communicate with the secretary, F. Wallaston.

Companions of Forest

The Companions of the Forest will hold a social dance in Sir William Wallace hall Thursday next. Music will be supplied by Miss Thain.

AMERICANS MAKING MONEY IN TIMBER

United States Consul at Vancouver Reports to His Government

Americans have been making a good deal of money out of British Columbia timber lands as the following dated from Washington, D. C., taken from the Sunday issue of the Post-Intelligencer, of Seattle will show:

Consul L. E. Dudley, of Vancouver, B. C., reports that at the rate at which timber licenses are now being taken it is estimated the Canadian government will realize during the present year \$750,000 from new licenses and \$500,000 for renewals.

"American capitalists are leading in the acquisition of timber lands. A St. Paul, Minn., company recently purchased 261,000 square miles of timber lands, partly on Vancouver Island, the remainder upon the mainland, paying about \$5,000,000 for the same, and proposes building six large saw mills at once. One American is said to have realized more than \$1,000,000 profit upon his holdings, acquired in the last few years. The provincial lands are not sold and all logs cut upon such lands must be manufactured within the province. The lands now changing hands by sale and purchase came into private hands before the enactment of the law now in force."

"Each person leasing timber lands pays \$150 a year and the leases may be renewed or continued for twenty-one years. When a leaseholder is cut a royalty of 50 cents a thousand feet is payable. It is understood that the provincial government has reserved the right to raise the license fee or to increase the amount of the royalty when it seems good policy to do so. The price of logs in this market recently fell considerably while wages remain at the high figure reached some time ago. The lumbermen are no longer embarrassed for cars for shipping lumber and shingles to the east. Taken altogether the condition of the lumber industry is most prosperous.—Daily Consular and Trade Reports."

Receives Appointment

Rev. Elliott S. Rowe has been chosen secretary of the Vancouver Tourist association in place of W. E. Flumerfelt, who has resigned after years of successful administration. For instance, several members were fined for making too much noise, and many were congratulating themselves on their decorum and quietness, when, to their astonishment and amusement of the others, they were hailed before the court for not making a noise, and thereupon fined. Special talent from the Grand theatre was assisted by several of the brotherhood, rendered an admirable programme, which was much appreciated by all. During the social bountiful supplies of refreshments were handed round by the younger members.

Brotherhood of Owls

On Saturday evening, despite the inclemency of the weather, the Brotherhood of Owls held their usual weekly meeting and owing to the large number of neophytes entering into the mystic life of Owldom, the meeting was prolonged until the small hours of the morning. After the initiation of bats a social was held, and the Brotherhood exemplified their order and the name of night birds, making the huge hall ring with their voices. Many humorous pretexts were formulated and members fined accordingly. For instance, several members were fined for making too much noise, and many were congratulating themselves on their decorum and quietness, when, to their astonishment and amusement of the others, they were hailed before the court for not making a noise, and thereupon fined. Special talent from the Grand theatre was assisted by several of the brotherhood, rendered an admirable programme, which was much appreciated by all. During the social bountiful supplies of refreshments were handed round by the younger members.

FREIGHT TRAFFIC IS TIED UP ON SKEENA

Wreck of Steamers May Cause Shortage in Supplies at Hazelton This Winter

The tangle in navigation on the Skeena river, resulting from the recent wrecks of the steamers Northwest and Hazelton, the only two vessels running on that stream since the loss of the Mount Royal, may, according to recent advices from the north, have the effect of causing a serious shortage of food in the Bulkley valley and along the Upper Skeena during the coming winter.

Hazelton, the limit of navigation on the Skeena river, is the distributing point for both these districts, the residents of which are almost entirely dependent upon the outside world for the supplies to keep them during the winter. At the present time it appears that the stocks of storekeepers of that place are running extremely low, and the prospects are very poor for their replenishment. At the time of the wreck of the Mount Royal, the Skeena, the other steamer owned by the Hudson's Bay company, was on the Skeena river, the only boat remaining on the Skeena then being the Northwest, owned by the British Columbia Transportation & Commercial Co.

At the time of the disaster and for weeks after the water in the river remained very unsuitable for navigation, and partly on this account and partly on account of the fact that there was much freight to be transported on the lower river, the Northwest made no trip further up the river than Lorne creek, not much more than half way to Essington. At this point she discharged over 60 tons of freight for Hazelton merchants and left it there for close on six weeks, while engaged on the lower river transporting freight between Essington and Kitselas canyon for the railway.

On her last trip up the river before the recent disaster the Northwest picked up the lower river merchandise at Lorne creek and went on up to Hazelton, discharging at that point freight to the extent of close on 100 tons in all. She then returned to Port Essington, the understanding being that she would make half a dozen more trips up and down the river before the close of navigation in December, the water between now and then being more favorable for navigation than at any other time throughout the whole season. It was by these trips that the Hazelton merchants had been expecting to replenish their stocks, and the wreck of the Northwest comes as a serious blow to them.

The Hazelton, which stove in her bow a few days before the Northwest went ashore, was on her way back to Essington from Hazelton after her first trip up the river since her arrival from the Skeena. She is a smaller vessel than the Northwest, and what freight she did carry was almost entirely for the Hudson's Bay company. The merchandise for the Hudson's Bay posts at Port Stewart, Fraser lake and the other places in that district was all sent in aboard her and transported by pack train from Hazelton.

It is possible that the Hazelton may be repaired in time to allow of her running again on the river before the close of navigation, though, in any case the number of trips will be very limited. There is also a bare possibility that another vessel may be placed in commission before the ice comes. This is the old stern wheeler Caledonia, which has been lying on the ways at Port Simpson. It is understood that this has been recently sold and is now being prepared for the river again.

In any case, however it appears that it will be virtually impossible to get the full supply of provisions into Hazelton before the winter by steamboat, and large quantities will have to be transported by canoe. This being more expensive than steamboat will mean a corresponding increase in the price of provisions at Hazelton this winter. In the meantime the carrying business on the Skeena is entirely in the hands of the Indians.

WIRELESS STATION AT PORT ESSINGTON

Government Being Pressed to Give Town Connection With the Outside World

According to recent advices from Port Essington it appears probable that a wireless telegraph station will be established there in the near future as a part of the Dominion government wire system along the Skeena river. At the present time Essington is cut off from all direct telegraphic communication with the outside world, the nearest station being on the north bank of the Skeena, five miles away from the port, and separated from it by over a mile of water.

For some time past the people of Essington have been agitating for a station. The first proposal made was that the town be connected with the wire by means of a submarine cable, but this plan was objected to on the grounds of expense. It has now been proposed that a wireless station be established putting the port in connection with the wire across the river. Experts who have been consulted on the matter state that the cost would be far less than that of stretching a cable across the river, and it is understood that the federal government, to which representations bearing on the matter have lately been made, is inclined to view the proposal favorably. Although no definite announcement has been made by the authorities the people of Port Essington confidently expect to have the wireless system installed by next summer.

The report of the English enquiry for the purpose of establishing the connection between the wireless and insanity has just been published. The committee examined the cases of 71,500 people maintained by the State asylum.

DID NOT DISCOVER LAND AS EXPECTED

Mikkelsen and Leffingwell Fail in Main Object of Expedition

Capt. Bjørn Mikkelsen and Ernest Deik Leffingwell did not discover a new continent in the Beaufort sea. They have returned from their quest in the great white silence of the unknown north and reported that soundings made in the Beaufort sea failed to show the existence of the unknown land they went to seek. The failure in the main object of the expedition has not deterred the enthusiasm of the explorers who will spend another year in the Arctic in geographical and ethnological work. They will continue the exploration of the Beaufort sea, surveying the coast and making ethnological studies in that vicinity.

The explorers, Capt. Mikkelsen, E. Leffingwell and J. Marks left the Duchess of Bedford, the former sailing schooner in which they left Victoria in May, 1906, for the north in winter quarters off Banksland this spring and journeyed over the ice from Prince Patrick land to the north-west. They took specially prepared food cases in soldered tins, each containing sufficient provender for one week, transported their supplies by dog teams. Owing to the return of one of the dogs and the delay in returning Frederick Harrison, another explorer, who recently returned from the north, reported that it was feared the three adventurers had been lost. They returned safely a short time afterward, however, and cabled a report of their work to the American Geographical Society at New York.

The dispatch came from Bjørn Mikkelsen and Ernest Leffingwell, the joint commanders of the expedition, and was dated at Dawson, Alaska, September 10. The explorers reported that their sledge trip north of Alaska covered 500 miles of sea ice, and that they crossed the edge of the continental shelf twice. The soundings, taken fifty miles off the Alaska coast and beyond, were made to a depth of 2,000 feet, but found no bottom. Next year, they reported, they will continue the exploration of the Beaufort sea, surveying the coast and making ethnological studies.

MARITIME BUILDERS MEET IN CONVENTION

New Organization of Shipwrights Joiners and Caulkers Holds Meeting

The second annual convention of the Pacific Coast Maritime Builders' federation was held in Portland, Oregon, on July 15, 16, 17. This association comprises in its membership a large majority of the organized shipwrights, joiners and caulkers of the Pacific coast and in the twelve months which have elapsed since its first convention, has become firmly established and has local unions affiliated in the following ports: San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley, California; Portland, Coos Bay and Prosper, Oregon; Seattle, Ballard, Aberdeen and Bremerton, Washington, and Victoria, B. C. It claims and exercises jurisdiction from San Diego, California, on the south to Behring straits on the north, aims ultimately, to include in its membership other branches of the shipbuilding industry besides those mentioned and proposes to move along conservative lines in advancing the welfare of its members and promoting that spirit of brotherhood and mutual help which should characterize associations of this kind.

William Thompson, of Esquimalt, B. C., the president-elect, referring to the work and objects of the federation stated: "As a guarantee to our employers and the general public, of fair dealing, I would mention the fact that a large proportion of the membership is composed of property owners and old time residents on the coast, heads of families, and men who, having responsibility and property of their own, naturally respect the rights and property of others. The eight-hour day, established by the federation on January 1, 1907, now prevails in all the ports mentioned except Victoria, B. C., in which city also some work is done on the eight hour basis. In the matter of wages while coasters' pay is lower than in some other trades requiring an equal or less degree of skill, they are approaching uniformity in the various localities affiliated. In this connection, in the recent convention, a minimum wage scale was adopted for Alaska and Northwest Territory. As a federation we hope and expect to merit the appreciation of the ship and boat building trade, and we ask the co-operation of our employers to secure the passage of laws beneficial to marine construction and of the general public we would ask that any laws tending to insure the safety and comfort of passengers of the prompt and reliable handling of freight will receive our hearty and unqualified support and endorsement at the polls."

The officers elected for the ensuing year were:

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First vice-president—C. H. Chetters, San Francisco.
Second vice-president—Charles Gregory, Portland, Oregon.
Third vice-president—A. Goodell, Seattle, Wash.
Secretary-treasurer—William South, Ballard, Wash.

Sir Thomas Denes.

With reference to a recent interview with C. P. Hill of the Hillcrest coal mines, reported in the coast press, in which Mr. Hill stated that Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and his associates were about to erect an iron smelting plant at Kitchener, and develop the iron property purchased from Mr. Hill in 1901, William Blakemore, M. P. of Victoria, is in receipt of a letter from Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, under date September 9, which says: "The information affecting the Kitchener properties is the vilest rubbish, if the information came from C. P. Hill as alleged, he has a vivid imagination."

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In Woman's Realm

In devoting more space than formerly to the affairs of women, the Colonist is taking a step, which it is hoped our lady friends will appreciate. Any communication from them of general interest will be welcomed and carefully attended to.

HERE AND THERE

The following article is from a Toronto paper. Many mothers in Victoria think that there are other provinces than Ontario where children, especially girls, are compelled to devote an undue amount of time to the study of arithmetic.

"While there has been much denunciation of frills in education, the most useless frill of all has escaped notice. It escapes because it takes shelter under the name of the 'household science' which is admitted to be indispensable. It is called arithmetic, but it has no more connection with the arithmetic that is required in the practical business of life than the acrostics, enigmas, and square wheels that are published in the puzzle pages of the magazines. It is the practical teaching of the English language.

"The arithmetic processes used in business are usually of the simplest kind, such as calculations of percentages, profit and loss, interest and prices of commodities. What is required is exactness, quickness, and accuracy in making these calculations. Actuaries, expert accountants, civil engineers, and architects require training in the higher mathematics, but even they are not confronted with such puzzles as are set for children by riders of the arithmetic hobby. One of the greatest reforms that could be made in our school programme would be the substitution of practical arithmetic for puzzle arithmetic.

"Arithmetic has a practical side, and it also has a side that appeals to the hobby-ride. The mathematician has a perfect right to ride his hobby for his own amusement, but he has no right to make the riding of the hobby an educational standard. The ability to solve intricate problems in arithmetic is not a necessary part of a sound education. A man may even be a scholar of the very first rank, and be utterly deficient in solving arithmetical puzzles, just as a man may be a scientist of the first rank without knowing how to write Greek and Latin verses."

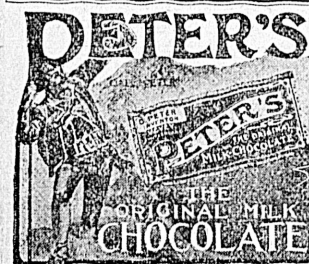
In the September number of the American Magazine, Woods Hutchinson has a very interesting article on "Sleep and Its Counterparts." In it he contradicts many old and time-honored theories. His rule is "Sleep as much as you can." While it is true that extraordinary individuals, notably Frederick the Great, Napoleon, the Duke of Wellington, John Wesley, and Edison were able to accomplish a great deal and remain in good health with only four hours' sleep, the majority of ordinary people need from seven to nine hours of refreshing slumber. Children who are growing need more and old people who have lost their reconstructive power cannot take so much. "No one," Doctor Hutchinson says, "ever got too much healthy natural sleep, or injured himself physically by staying in bed till he felt rested." He deprecates the practice of waking children and says that "a baby or young child should have absolutely every minute of sleep he can be induced to take." And again "to make children or rapidly growing young adults get up before they have had their sleep out, and feel thoroughly rested, is not merely irrational but cruel."

If people, young or old, are to be compelled to get up early they must form a habit of going to bed in good time but there is not in the nature of things, so this authority thinks, any special benefit in sleep in the early hours of the night. The belief in the virtues of early rising is a survival from hard-fisted agricultural ancestors whose work had to be done in the daylight, and who found it more economical to "burn daylight instead of candles."

As to the time when people can work best there is no general rule to be laid down, and many people perhaps will be inclined to dissent from the statement that "All the activities, social, literary, convivial, philosophic, that bring out what is best in man, are at their highest tide after eight in the evening."

The best cure for insomnia is to be "lured all over" not exist in any one direction. A strong argument for well-ventilated bedrooms and some interesting remarks on dreams conclude a very interesting and instructive article.

Some days since reference was made in these columns to the condition of the old Quadra street cemetery. Since then we have heard little about it. Two ladies copied some of the inscriptions but it was feared that their publication might give pain to someone still living. Is there no way of persuading those in authority to take some action in the matter? Now that the rains are moistening the earth the work might very well be begun, so that by spring the place would be



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WOMAN'S WORK

The following ladies and gentlemen have kindly agreed to assist at the entertainment to be given at the Aged Woman's Home tomorrow afternoon: Mrs. Gregson, Miss Jamieson, Miss Bryce, Miss Nellie Lawson, Mr. J. G. Brown, Mr. R. Morrison and Mr. D. A. Fraser. There will be good music during both afternoon and evening, and tea, ice cream, candy, etc., will be on sale. There is no admission. The management kindly request all friends of the institution to remember the erection of a more commodious quarters. Anything that will in any way add to the comfort of the aged inmates will be greatly appreciated. Donations can be sent to the home.

The attention of the members of the ladies' choral class is called to the fact that the first practice of the season will be held at "The Poplars," Becht street, on Thursday evening next at 8 o'clock punctually. All old and intending new members are earnestly requested to attend on this occasion. Miss Archbutt will feel obliged if all those who possess copies of "Dancing Shadows," "Snow in Spring" and Leslie's "Goodnight" will bring them.

Dame Fashion's Dictum



A Misses' jumper suit of useful type is shown here. The material is navy blue with trimmings of deep crimson silk applied in bands and facings on the jacket, and used for the pleated girdle, with a strap of the blue outside it. The lace collar and crescents are white and the tie is black. The skirt has a single narrow fold of crimson silk stitched at hem depth.

The first combined rehearsal of the ladies' choral class and the choral members of the Ladies' Musical Club will be held on the following Thursday evening, September 26, at 8 o'clock.

TRIED RECIPES

Sweet Tomato Pickle.

Slice a peck of green tomatoes and six large onions. Sprinkle them with one cupful of salt and let them stand until the next day. Then drain and cover with two quarts of water and a quart of vinegar. Boil for 15 minutes and drain again, throwing away the liquid. Sprinkle with two pounds of sugar, two quarts of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls each of cinnamon, cloves, all spice, ginger and mustard, and a tablespoonful of cayenne. Boil for 15 minutes. Keep in a stone jar.

For Feverish Patient.

A good drink for a feverish patient, indeed the best of all drinks, is barley water. If made properly, it has a bounce of pearl barley should be washed, first in cold water, and then in hot, and then boiled in a saucepan with a quart of water. Add a little sugar according to taste, and a few drops of lemon juice, and let it stand until cold. The boiling time is about half an hour to an hour. When the throat or chest is painful, barley water will be found very soothing.

Russian Cutlets.

One and one-half pounds of round steak, chopped fine; one onion, one

cup of bread crumbs and two eggs. Slice the onion and fry in butter until brown. Put meat in a chopping bowl, break in two eggs, put in the bread crumbs, season with salt and pepper, mix and chop with the chopping-knife until smooth. Then add the onion. Make into shapes like lamb chops and cover with crumbs. Fry in the pan the onion was cooked in. When brown take out and make a gravy, to which add a little Worcestershire sauce. This will make seven cutlets.

Rice and Meat Casserole.

Boil one cup of rice 15 minutes in two quarts boiling salted water. Drain and line a pint mould half an inch deep. Chop fine one cup of any kind of cold tender meat, season with salt, pepper, celery salt and onion. Add one egg (beaten), two tablespoonfuls of fine cracker crumbs, and moisten with hot water or stock sufficient to pack it easily in the mould. Cover with rice and steam 45 minutes. Loosen from the edge, invert in a platter and pour tomato sauce over it.

FASHION HINTS

The old fashion of wearing ear-rings has been revived. Very expensive ones are displayed in the jewellers' shops. Pearls are especially popular. The jewel case of their grandmothers will furnish many of our modern maidens with earrings for their coming-out party.

The Romney folds, where pleats or

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Culvert-Ventress
The marriage of Miss Myrtle Ventress of Duncans to Martin Luther Culvert, an employee of Weller Bros., was celebrated on Saturday evening at the Victoria West Methodist parsonage, the Rev. A. E. Roberts officiating. Miss Hutchison supported the bride. Peter McCalmann acting as best man.

PERSONAL MENTION

The Colonist readers are asked to assist in making this personal column as complete as possible. Send or phone items to the city editor.

Mrs. W. E. Stavert and son, of Montreal, arrived in Victoria Friday, and are guests at the Oak Bay Hotel.

Mrs. W. L. Camp, of Seattle, is visiting Mrs. (Capt.) Rucker, her sister, at 15 Stanley avenue.

James Fullerton, commodore of the C. P. R. liners, spent yesterday in the city for the purpose of the Empress arriving from the Orient.

Joseph Tasse, of Montreal, has returned to the city.

Mrs. W. F. Hunter and son returned on Sunday afternoon's train to Ladysmith, after visiting friends in Victoria and Seattle.

W. R. Dunn, of Cumberland, and daughter returned on Sunday afternoon's train after visiting friends in Victoria and Seattle.

Will T. Elwell, of Seattle, advertising manager for Calhoun, Denny & Ewing, of Seattle, was in the city Saturday visiting his sister, Mrs. S. B. McElnea, 153 View street.

Mrs. Ullne, of this city, recently spent several days in Seattle. She went to place her daughter, Miss Irene, in the Annie Wright seminary in Tacoma.

Mrs. Gould and Miss Smith returned on Saturday from an enjoyable week's stay in Seattle.

Miss Gribble visited Seattle for a short holiday during the past week.

Mrs. G. Jennings Burnett has been suddenly called to visit her mother on the mainland, who lies dangerously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Capt. W. E. Holmes and Miss Florence Holmes arrived from Dawson on Saturday last and are staying at "Charlwood," corner Niagara and Clarence streets.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

A child suddenly awakened from a deep sleep is generally fractious for the rest of the day, so be very careful to guard against any violent noise. Let it have its sleep out, and it will wake in a most angelic humor.

As far as possible children should have separate beds, even if two are in the same room. The sleep will be sounder and more refreshing.

Silver that is not in frequent use will not tarnish if rubbed with oatmeal.

A hot salt bath just before retiring is recommended in cases of nervous restlessness.

Keep a little package of absorbent cotton in one of the sideboard drawers. If oil, milk or cream is spilled on a wooden dress or cloth, a bit of the cotton instantaneously applied will remove all traces of the stains.

In order to succeed you must be sure of two things—you must love your work, and not always be looking over the edge of it, wanting your play to begin; you must not be ashamed of your work, and wanting to be doing something else.

To get rid of ants take small pieces of sponge sprinkled with sugar and distribute in the cupboard or other places where you have been troubled with the pest. Leave about an hour, then take a bucket of boiling water, throw the sponge into it, rinse well, and set again. Repeat until you are entirely rid of the nuisance.

THE FIRST GRANDCHILD.

"Grandmother!" called the farmer, and there came
Out through the vine-wreathed porch a blushing dame,
Surprised and eager at the strange new name.

The clock within rang forth the chime for eight.
A message! Read it—quick—how can you wait?
Her husband, smiling, leaned upon the gate.

At arm's length, holding in his trembling hand,
The crisp white sheet, while he the writing scanned,
Then read once more, with voice almost unmann'd.

"Thy granddaughter salutes thee, Baby Bell,
Mother and child, thank God, are doing
A moment's silence on the proud twain fell.

She broke it soon. "Grandfather, I congratulate—"
What me! the good man cried, lifting his hat—
"Grandfather"—me? I hadn't thought of that!"

—Annie A. Preston.

CHINESE INSURGENTS

Fought Troops for Twelve Hours at City of Lingshan

Hongkong, Sept. 16.—A stubborn twelve hour engagement occurred yesterday between troops and insurgents at Lingshan city, in the district of Hongkong.

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WHEREAS the Mayor of the City of Victoria granted a temporary transfer of the retail liquor license held by James Gibson Frank to sell liquors on the premises of the Victoria Hotel, No. 14 Government street, Victoria, B. C., from the said James Gibson Frank to the undersigned and which said transfer was subsequently ratified and extended by the Board of Licensing Commissioners on the 15th day of July 1907, I, the undersigned, therefore give notice that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the said Board for a permanent ratification of the said transfer.

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The Sporting World

WASHINGTON TEAM WINS SECOND MATCH

Oak Bay Cricketers Beaten by
Seventy Runs at the
Oval Sunday

A second cricket match between the team from Washington state made up of Tacoma and Seattle players and a team from the Oak Bay Cricket clubs was played at the Oak Bay oval on Sunday and was won by the visitors by a margin of 70 runs. Baker, the Victoria pro, and Cullen played for the Washington team and were largely responsible for the victory of the visitors, both knocking out good scores. Baker batted in splendid fashion for 71.

The visitors went to the bat first and knocked out 150 before they were retired. The local players then took a turn with the bat but runs came slowly and only 110 had been reached when the last man was out. Richardson was the most successful of the local bowlers, getting 5 wickets for 40 runs.

The game began in the forenoon and continued till about 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon with an intermission for lunch, which was served in the clubhouse. Neither team had a full eleven, a number of the players not turning up on account of the threatening weather.

Vancouver Season Opens

The Vancouver District Association football league season opened on Saturday at North Vancouver with a game between the Thistles and North Vancouver. The former team won by a score of 5 to 0.

Umpire Disabled

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 16.—Billy Evans, the American League umpire, was struck on the head with a soda water bottle during yesterday's game between St. Louis and Detroit, and his physician says he will not be able to participate in any more games this season.

BASEBALL SCORES

American League.

	W.	L.	Pc.
Philadelphia...	30	51	.611
Detroit...	29	54	.594
Chicago...	29	56	.585
Cleveland...	27	57	.575
New York...	63	70	.474
Boston...	58	78	.427
St. Louis...	55	78	.414
Washington...	42	89	.320

Monday's scores.
At Washington—Washington, 3;
Boston, 2. Second—Washington, 6;
Boston, 0.

At Detroit—Detroit, 1; Chicago, 0.
At Philadelphia—New York, 3;
Philadelphia, 2.

At Cleveland—Cleveland, 5; St. Louis, 2. Second—Cleveland, 2; St. Louis, 2 (ten innings.)

National League.

	W.	L.	Pc.
Chicago...	97	28	.779
Pittsburg...	80	54	.597
New York...	77	58	.570
Philadelphia...	73	58	.557
Brooklyn...	62	73	.459
Cincinnati...	55	79	.411
Boston...	51	81	.386
St. Louis...	41	95	.301

Monday's scores.
At Boston—Boston, 2; New York, 1.
Second—Boston, 3; New York, 2.

At Brooklyn—Philadelphia, 5;
Brooklyn, 3. Second—Philadelphia, 2;
Brooklyn, 0.

At St. Louis—Pittsburg, 4; St. Louis, 2. Second—Pittsburg, 1; St. Louis, 5.

Northwestern League.

	W.	L.	Pc.
Aberdeen...	75	42	.641
Tacoma...	75	54	.581
Seattle...	65	57	.534
Butte...	61	60	.508
Spokane...	60	64	.483
Vancouver...	30	90	.250

Sunday's scores.
Tacoma—Seattle; rain.

Aberdeen—Vancouver; rain.

At Spokane—Butte, 1; Spokane, 0 (sixteen innings.)

Eastern League.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 3; Buffalo, 1. Second—Baltimore, 5; Buffalo, 2.

At Jersey City—Jersey City, 2; Montreal, 0.

At Providence—Providence, 8; Toronto, 7.

At Newark—Newark, 4; Rochester, 5 (eleven innings.)

American Association.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 6; St. Paul, 4.

At Kansas City—Kansas City, 7; Milwaukee, 5. Second—Kansas City, 14; Milwaukee, 6 (five innings.)

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CALIFORNIA COACHES

REVISE RUGBY GAME

New Set of Rules Adopted Following Those Used by Australian Teams

Berkeley, Sept. 16.—In the hope of revising the Rugby game so that its popularity will increase with the California public and in addition to guide officials in the intercollegiate Rugby game, a new set of rules for use in the Stanford-California Rugby games has just been compiled by a rules committee comprising Coach Oscar N. Taylor of the university, Percy Hall and Walter K. Tuller, Coach James Lanagan, H. Williams and William Koerner of Stanford university. The rules follow extensive investigations in Australia and in other parts of the globe where the Rugby game is popular.

Difficulties encountered last year as a result of differences in the rules used by the two colleges brought about the adoption of the new set of rules here. The rules have been prescribed for the uses of the players on both football squads.

In the new set of regulations special object has been taken to make the game fast. In order to accomplish this no power is given to the referee to whistle simply because a player is tackled with the ball. The rule will make considerable difference in the game. When a player with the ball is tackled a referee may only blow his whistle under the following circumstances: "First—When such player does not at once put the ball fairly down. Second—When such player is on the ground and does not at once fairly part with the ball. Third—When a player of the opposite side prevents such player either putting the ball down or getting up. Fourth—when the referee considers that the continuation of play would be dangerous." The rest point is left entirely to the referee.

The rules of the game provide that the umpire provide himself with a horn in order to distinguish his warnings from those of the referee.

In addition, particular attention has been taken by the rules committee to prevent foul and tricky playing. Referees have been instructed to deal sharply with violations. The scoring has been agreed upon as follows: A try equals 3 points, a goal from a try (in which case the try shall not count) equals 5 points; a dropped goal, (except from a mark or penalty kick) equals 4 points; a goal from a mark or penalty kick equals 3 points.

By the rules which have been adopted scrums will be avoided by both teams as much as possible.

SEATTLE WANTS DATES

The secretary of the Victoria United Football club has received a request from Alex. M. Bryce, secretary of the Seattle Football club, for dates during the coming season. The Seattle club has secured the use of Dugdale Athletic park for a number of Sundays during the fall and winter months and is arranging its schedule of games now. Several games are desired with the local club for Seattle and return games will be played in this city.

VICTORIA LACROSSE

CLUB UP AGAINST IT

Hasbeens Non Resident in Vancouver Eager to Tackle Present Day Team

The Victoria Lacrosse club has received a challenge from Billy West of Vancouver, formerly of this city, on behalf of a lacrosse team composed of former Victoria players, now living in the Terminal City for a game here during the exhibition. The players in the Terminal City, who formerly called Victoria home, have an idea that they can win the present aggregation sporting the Victoria club uniform and they are looking for a chance to show their superiority. Writing to the secretary of the club, Billy West states that the team he has gathered together will certainly give a good account of themselves and he wants the game to be for the championship of Victoria. He labels his team the "Victoria Hasbeens".

The following is the lineup of the "Hasbeens":
Goal—Sam Norman.
Point—Fred Cullin.
Cover Point—C. McKeown.
First defence—Alex. Stevens.
Second defence—George Snider.
Third defence—A. McKeown, or Jack Burnett.

Centre—"Hat" Mathews.
Third home—A. Laughton.
Second home—Herb. Ogden.
First home—Archie Simpson.
First home—Billy West.

Outside home—Jack O'Brien.
Spurs—Billy Cullin, Bert Watson, Tom Norman, Archie Calhoun.

A. C. Stevens will captain the team. The Victoria club executive will consider the challenge this week and it is not possible that the "Hasbeens" will be afforded an opportunity of making good their boast.

Vancouver Lawyers Win

A baseball team of Vancouver lawyers visited Seattle on Saturday and beat the local lawyers by 6 to 2. Those taking part in the game were:

Vancouver — Watson, catcher; Schultz, pitcher; Sonkler, 1st base; McLean, 2nd base; Ellis, 3rd base; Barnes, shortstop; Jackson, left field; Elliott, centre field; Doback, right field.

Seattle—Brown, catcher; Blewett, pitcher; Hoyt, 1st base; Tyndall, 2nd base; Cutts, 3rd base; Beatty, shortstop; Morris, left field; Lewis, centre field; Crockett, right field.

NEW WESTMINSTER IS

READY FOR TECUMSEHS

Runners' Up in National Lacrosse Union Championship Will Have Hard Game

New Westminster, Sept. 16.—The coming visit of the Tecumsehs of Toronto, runners-up to the Montreal Shamrocks, in the race for the championship of the National Lacrosse union this season, is being eagerly awaited by local lacrosse enthusiasts. The Tecumsehs will leave Toronto on Monday next and will reach here Saturday, September 23, in time for the opening game of the series.

Not in years has such interest been displayed in a lacrosse tournament as in the forthcoming one. Already requests by the hundreds have come to the Provincial Exhibition association for the reservation of seats, and the crowds that will attend can only be estimated by the capacity of the grounds where the contests are to be held.

It is certain that large excursions will be run from all neighboring points and thousands will come from all parts of British Columbia and the sound.

Reports state that the New Westminster club has been hard at work for a couple of weeks holding regular practice, and followers of the sport can rest assured that the Royal City team will not be taken napping and will be in grand shape. The Vancouver club is also engaging in constant practice and will put up its most formidable front of the season. The same can be said of the Leafs.

New Westminster, it is said, hopes to get Harry Latham and Billy Gifford again in line for the series of games.

A great advantage to the British Columbia clubs will be the fact that the Tecumsehs are certain to be travel weary when they get here and will not be in as good trim as if they had had constant rest. The three days of rest preceding their initial game, however, should get them feeling pretty good and they will undoubtedly be fit to put up rattling lacrosse.

The draw for the games is as follows:
Saturday, September 28, Maple Leafs vs. New Westminster.

Tuesday, October 1, Vancouver vs. Tecumsehs.

Thursday, October 5, losers of the first two matches.
The game on Thursday between the two losers will be fought out for the third and fourth money, consisting of \$400 and \$300, respectively. The winners of the game on Saturday, October 5, will receive \$800 and the losers \$600.

Capitals Beat Tecumsehs

At Ottawa on Saturday the Capitals surprised their own supporters by defeating the Tecumsehs by a score of 8 goals to 4 in an exhibition match played at the Oval. The Senators had the best of the play all the way through.

At Montreal the Montrealers beat Cornwall by 5 to 3.

ROYALS MAY GO EAST

New Westminster Lacrosse Champions Have Eyes on Minto Cup

It is not improbable that a Pacific coast lacrosse team will go after the Minto cup, emblematic of the world's lacrosse championship, next year. The New Westminster team, which has practically won the championship of the British Columbia league again, will likely be sent to lift the mug—or endeavor to loosen the moorings of the cup—which goes to the Shamrocks, of Montreal, this season.

Two years ago, when the veterans of the Westminster club retired and the youngsters of the Royal City were pressed into service to fill the vacancies, the officers of the club intimated that should the team win the championship during the next couple of three years, and displayed form, a trip to the east would be taken in quest of the silverware.

The boys have not only shown that they can hold the championship, but they have played brilliant lacrosse at all stages, and would not only be able to make a good showing against the eastern teams, but could compete, and with success, against such teams as the Tecumsehs of Toronto, Capitals of Ottawa and the Shamrocks of Montreal. This is vouched for by prominent lacrosse men who have seen the eastern teams at their best, and are so convinced of the ability of the western team to win that they stand willing to put their hands down in their jeans and contribute the little mite towards sending the team east. The executive of the club has practically decided to give the boys a trip, although no action will be taken till after the matches at the provincial fair next week, when the Tecumseh team of Toronto will meet the western teams.

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INCENSED OVER ACTION OF MR. RATTENBURY

Oak Bay Councillors Indignant Over Action of Fellow Member

Heated language was employed by the members of the council of the municipality of Oak Bay at the regular meeting last evening at the Poul Bay road schoolhouse in discussing the action of Councillor F. M. Rattenbury in withdrawing his offer to donate some water frontage on Shoal Bay to the municipality for parks purposes. A resolution of censure was offered, but an amendment that the council take no action in the matter was adopted after Mr. Rattenbury's course had been severely criticized.

Reeve Oliver was in the chair and the other members of the council present were Messrs. Newton, Fernie, Sutherland, Noble and Henderson, the only absentee being Mr. Rattenbury. Outside of the discussion concerning Mr. Rattenbury, the meeting proved most uneventful, only routine business being taken up. The proposed bylaws for the purchase of water frontage on Oak and Shoal Bays, for the extension of Hampshire road, and for the procuring of land for municipal purchases did not come up at all, the petitions in circulation in this connection not having been fully signed.

At the special meeting of the council held last week, Mr. Rattenbury was invited by the council to reconsider his action in withdrawing his offer, but declined to offer any explanation. The matter was laid on the table for the time being, and a letter was addressed to Mr. Rattenbury by the council regarding the matter. Councillor Fernie brought the subject up at last night's meeting by asking if any communication had been received from Mr. Rattenbury. He was informed that there had been none whereupon he suggested that the council should take some action to clear themselves in the eyes of the ratepayers who, not being aware of the circumstances and having heard Mr. Rattenbury in public make his offer to donate the land in question, might be inclined to put it up to the council as responsible for the failure of the deal to go through. He thought that a resolution should be passed stating the facts, and this resolution published for the benefit of the ratepayers.

Reeve Oliver did not mince matters in referring to Mr. Rattenbury. He said: "Apart from being an insult—though I suppose we have to stomach such insults—I consider this action on the part of Mr. Rattenbury as a distinct breach of faith with the municipality and I think that something should be done to express our views."

Councillor Henderson advised that the matter be left severely alone and allowed to drop then and there. The deal for the purchase of Mr. Pemberton's property on Oak Bay was not going to be blocked by the failure of Mr. Rattenbury to make good as the reeve had consented to let his offer to donate Shoal Bay property stand, and Mr. Pemberton was still willing to sell. Under the circumstances he thought it would be only continuing to make up unpleasanties by considering the matter further.

Councillor Newton was of the same opinion and said so. He could not see that any good would result from passing resolutions in the matter.

Councillor Fernie was insistent, however. He recalled that Mr. Rattenbury was one of the first men to advocate the purchase of waterfront property, and was the first man to make an announcement in the public meeting held in the same building that he would give his property on Shoal Bay to the municipality. Five days later he withdrew that offer without offering any explanation and Councillor Fernie considered that it was up to the council to inform the public of all the facts in the case.

Councillor Sutherland suggested that the matter be dropped as the ratepayers would have a chance to deal with it themselves at the end of the year when election time came round.

"I agree with Mr. Fernie," remarked Reeve Oliver. "We have given Mr. Rattenbury every chance to make good and he hasn't. His action is absolutely inexcusable. I don't want to use strong language, but I feel that it is coming in this instance. Mr. Rattenbury offered of his own free will to give the land. With any honorable man that was an end of it, and if Mr. Rattenbury chooses to go back on his word, he should be treated as he deserves. It is a most unpleasant thing to do, but I think the council should most certainly deal with the case."

Councillor Noble was of the same view as Councillor Fernie and the reeve. He thought that Mr. Rattenbury owed the ratepayers an explanation. "I think his course is very ungentlemanly," said he.

The reeve proposed that a resolution be passed in the matter and Councillor Fernie offered the following:

"Resolved, that Mr. Rattenbury having withdrawn his promise to donate to the municipality certain water frontage on Shoal Bay, the council consider this a breach of faith and as Mr. Rattenbury has given no reason for his action, the council consider this breach of faith inexcusable."

Councillor Noble seconded the motion, but Councillor Henderson moved in amendment that the council take no further action in regard to Mr. Rattenbury's withdrawal of his offer. Councillor Newton seconded the amendment, giving it as his opinion that this was the more dignified course, though at the same time admitting that Mr. Rattenbury was deserving of censure.

Councillor Sutherland, while not approving of Mr. Rattenbury's action considered that a resolution of the kind offered would do no good, and would only keep the unpleasantness going.

Councillor Fernie remarked that it was a very hard precedent to allow Mr. Rattenbury to treat the council the way he had done. It was all very well to say that the property belonged to Mr. Rattenbury, and he was free to do with it as he liked, but he had given his word to the council and then had gone back on it.

and carried; Councillors Henderson, Newton and Sutherland voting in favor of it, whereupon the matter dropped.

Councillor Henderson had a kick coming as to the dates for calling meetings of the license commissioners, as he had been away at the time of the last three meetings. He was informed that it was no fault of the clerk's as the meetings were all of an urgent character and called at short notice.

A tree in front of the residence of J. J. Shalloo on the Poul Bay road, which was the subject of considerable discussion in council some time ago, was considered dangerous by Councillor Henderson, and on his motion it was decided to cut the tree down, before a heavy wind came along and did the trick first.

J. S. Floyd, clerk of the municipality, was granted leave of absence during the exhibition week.

A letter was read from E. E. Richards, owner of the store at the corner of Monterey avenue and Oak Bay avenue, asking that a hole in the latter thoroughfare in front of his property, be filled in. The hole is a depression in the roadway between the street car tracks and the sidewalk, about twelve feet wide by fifty feet long and about 18 inches deep. The members of council could not see their way clear to the work, but on motion of Councillor Henderson, Mr. Richards was granted permission to fill it in at his own expense.

A communication was read from R. T. Elliot, solicitor for Mrs. Mary Bowker, announcing that Mrs. Bowker was willing to accept the offer submitted by council for the connection of Oak Bay avenue with Bowker avenue, whereby she would deed the land required for the road on condition that the adjoining property was not assessed for the cost of building the road, erection of fences or laying of sidewalks. The letter was read to await the return of Mr. Elliot to the city and in the meantime a committee consisting of Councillors Fernie, Henderson and Sutherland will wait on Mrs. Bowker to talk the matter over with her.

A letter from A. C. McAdam, asking permission to lay a two inch water main on Crescent road, at his own expense, was referred to the roads, bridges and sewers committee. There is already a bylaw for the laying of a four inch main on the road, but as it was found impossible to secure the proper connections it rests in abeyance. The council saw certain difficulties in the way of allowing Mr. McAdam to lay the pipe he desired.

Councillor Noble brought up the question of plumbing inspection, stating that numerous complaints had been made to the effect that Plumbing Inspector Shea could never be secured when wanted. The clerk was ordered to write the Inspector asking him whether he was able to devote the necessary time to the job and if not to say so, in which event the council will secure another inspector.

At the special meeting of the council last week it was decided to gravel the walk leading from Cadboro Bay road to the fair grounds, but Councillor Noble advised that this be left over till after the exhibition. He went over the sidewalk with the pathmaster the other day and found that a little repair would fix it up for the present.

Anyway it was too near the fair time to put down the gravel walk. A motion to repair the sidewalk and move a 100 feet of walk now inside the grounds to the road outside was adopted.

Councillor Noble fathered a motion to offer a reward of \$25 for the conviction of any person destroying municipal property. The motion was adopted. It was occasioned by the fact that a number of the new street signs put up by the council had been so disfigured as to be useless. Councillor Noble put the source of the trouble down to the ubiquitous small boy, and though he remembered when he was young that it was not the fault of the nuisance was becoming too great to be tolerated any longer.

The Mauritania

London, Sept. 16.—The Cunard steamer Mauritania will leave her builders' yard at Wallsend today for her first speed trials off the Tyne. Afterwards she will return for her final fittings and furnishings. She is 790 feet long compared with the Lusitania's 787. Her gross tonnage is 33,200.

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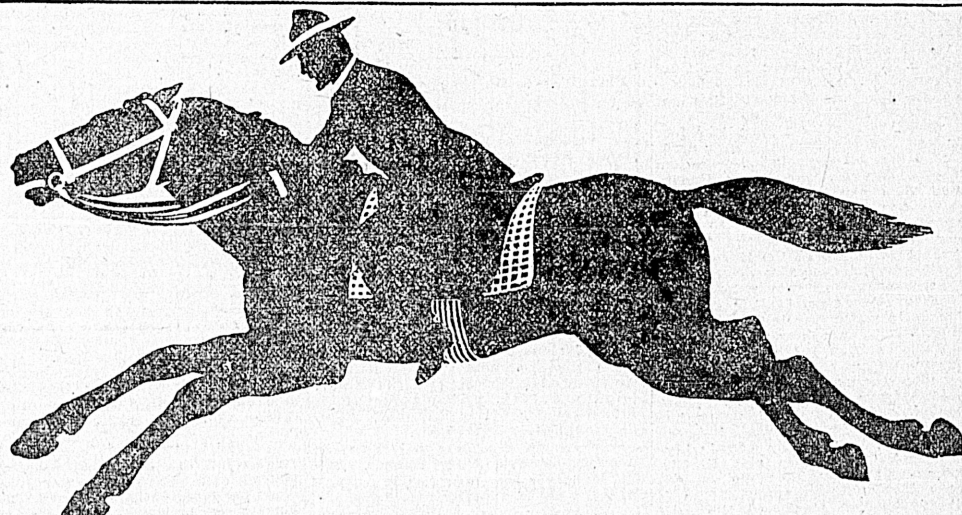
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On the Waterfront

STEAMER VADSO REACHES VICTORIA

New Vessel for Boscowitz Steamship Company Arrives in Port

FOR THE NORTH COAST TRADE

Made Only One Call Between Liverpool and Here, Via Cape Horn.

The steel screw steamer Vadsø purchased from the Akties Dampsk Vadsø (Pedersen & Melnich) of Christiania, Norway, by Capt. Johnston for the Boscowitz Steamship Company, of which J. Barnsley is manager, at a cost of approximately \$100,000, to run in connection with the steamer Venture in the northern British Columbia service from Victoria, arrived yesterday from Liverpool, where she was taken over and made ready for the long voyage to this port. Capt. Johnston in bringing the Vadsø to Victoria made an interesting record, the trip being made with one call only, at Punta Arenas on August 10.

Capt. Johnston, formerly in charge of the Venture, was sent to England to purchase a steamer for the local company and soon found the Vadsø, which had been operated between Christiania and Vadsø, a small port about seventy north on the Norwegian coast, in a trade similar to that in which she is to be placed by her new owners. The steamer has three decks and four side ports, and is peculiarly fitted for the local trade; in fact it is considered that the steamer had been designed for this trade she could scarcely have been better fitted. The Vadsø was put through a survey at Liverpool, overhauled and placed in thorough condition, and with the Norwegian flag replaced by the British, her registry being changed—she started on July 2 for Victoria, via Cape Horn. The accompanying illustration is from a photograph taken when she was leaving the Mersey. From Liverpool to Cape Villano, Spain, strong south and southwest winds were experienced, and northwest winds until she ran into the N. E. trades. Thence to 20 south she had the usual trade winds. At 20 south a heavy gale was encountered which the steamer weathered well showing excellent sea qualities. Thence to Cape Virgin at the entrance to the Straits of Magellan moderate weather obtained. After passing through the straits a call was made at Punta Arenas on August 10 to report and blow down the boilers. It was not necessary to bunkers sufficient Welsh coal was laden at Liverpool for the voyage. Leaving the usual Cape Horn gales which were weathered satisfactorily at 20 south fine weather was experienced to the line and thence northwest winds until Sunday, when a fresh southeast blow was experienced off the Cape.

After a stay of about a week in port, cleaning boilers, fitting cargo booms and preparing for the new business, it is expected the steamer will be ready to start north. The Vadsø, formerly the Bordeaux, is a steel screw steamer with two decks, of 914 tons gross, 699 tons net, with a capacity for 1,150 tons dead weight of cargo. She was under the Swedish flag, but the Boscowitz Steamship company has had the register changed and the Vadsø vessel sailing out of the port of Liverpool. She was built in 1881 by the Motala company of Gothenburg, and engaged by the builders. She had new boilers installed recently. The new vessel is 190.2 feet long, 28.9 feet beam and 21.6 feet from the spar deck, being 7.3 feet between decks. She has compound engines, with two cylinders 23 and 44 inches in diameter, with a 20 inch stroke, and has 120 normal horsepower, giving a speed of 10 knots an hour. The Vadsø is fitted with new steam winches of the latest type and with derricks capable of lifting a 20 ton weight, has two pole masts, and is considered an ideal vessel for the trade in which she is to be placed. Originally the steamer was built for the Atlantic trade by the Motala company of Gothenburg, Sweden. Later she was used in the Norwegian coasting trade between Christiania and Vadsø, and for eight years has been engaged in business between Manchester, via the ship canal, Liverpool and Copenhagen and Stettin. She was in this service when secured by the Boscowitz company. She is a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheyne & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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tions will be taken up at once by the owners. An idea of the carrying capacity of the steamer which can handle 1,200 tons deadweight, can be had when it is stated that she has capacity for 30,000 cases of salmon.

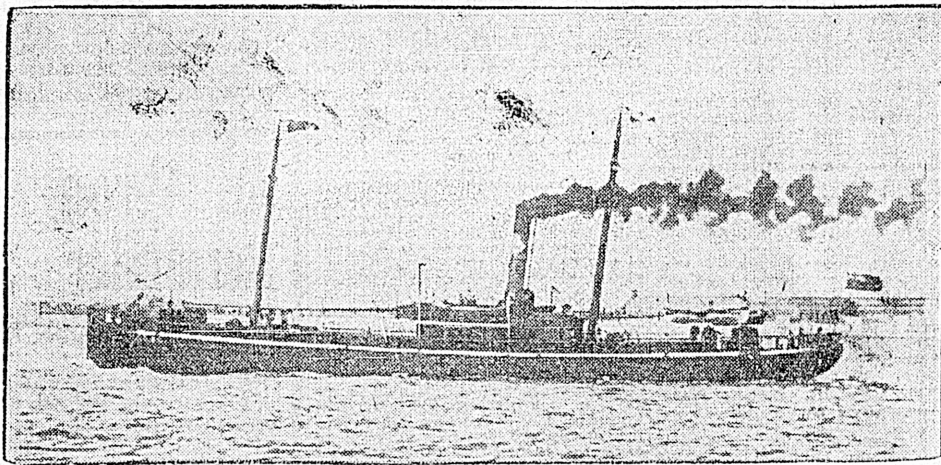
Messrs. Barnsley and McGregor, Captain J. D. Warren and other members of the Boscowitz Steamship company met the steamer on arrival at Porter's wharf yesterday evening and complimented Captain Johnson on his good voyage out. The crew of the steamer was engaged for the passage out, but includes a number of those who have been with the vessel for some years and who may remain with her in her new service.

MARINE NOTES

Among the passengers on the steamer Victoria, which sailed from Seattle on Sunday for Cape Nome, was R. W. Dunsmuir, of this city. He is going north in connection with the contract awarded the Leelanaw, owned by him, to save the cargo of the wrecked canyner schooner John Currier, in Bristol Bay.

A meeting of citizens of Port Angeles was held on Friday to confer with Messrs. G. N. Skinner, of New York, and J. M. Ballard, of Seattle, with respect to the placing on the run between Seattle and Port Angeles a commodious and rapid steamboat with accommodations for 225 passengers and ample freight room. The speed of the boat was stated by Mr. Skinner to be 18 miles an hour, and the trip between the two ports could be made by daylight.

The steamer Queen City reached port yesterday from Rivers inlet and way ports of the northeast coast of Vancouver island, with 70 passengers, the majority of whom debarked at Vancouver. The Queen City will sail again at 8 p.m. today for Rivers inlet. Capt. Neroutsos will be in command, relieving Capt. Gunn, who has been transferred to the tug Czar.



THE STEAMER VADSO
Which Arrived Yesterday from Liverpool to Enter the Northern British Columbia Service

TWO STEAMERS FOR SKEENA RIVER ROUTE

Plans Are Prepared for Vessels for the Hudson's Bay Company

Plans for two new river steamers, one replacing the wrecked steamer Mount Royal, which was overturned and wrecked in Kitslax canyon on August 6 with the loss of six lives, have been drawn for the Hudson's Bay Company. No announcement in this regard has been made by the local office of the company, but it is generally known that the plans for two new craft are in Winnipeg for the approval of Chief Commissioner Chipman. When these plans are approved work will be commenced at once and two steamers constructed this winter for the company's service on the Skeena river. It is understood that the new steamers are to be similar in build and design to the Mount Royal, and it is probable that both will be constructed in this city, where the Mount Royal was built.

Next season it is expected the river fleet in operation on the Skeena river will be larger than ever. The expected shipment of supplies for the Grand Trunk Pacific road and the general development of the northern country is inducing other shipowners to enter the trade. The British Columbia Development Company announced a few days ago that it would place a new sternwheeler steamer in service on the upper Skeena to run from Kitslax canyon to Hazelton in connection with another vessel running from Port Essington to Kitslax canyon.

A movement is on foot here and at Victoria for the establishment of a ferry between Port Angeles and Victoria, says the Port Angeles Tribune-Times. It is said that a suitable boat can be chartered on the British side to make three-times-a-week trips. The scheme to use a gasoline launch for the purpose was frowned upon by the Canadian marine department, the officials refusing to issue a license to the craft. The steamer Princess Victoria yesterday broke her record on the Victoria-Vancouver run, making the trip in 3 hours and 18 minutes.

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STERNWHEELERS ON THE ROCKS

Both Vessels Plying on the Skeena River Are Wrecks

NORTHWEST IS A TOTAL LOSS

All Her Cargo Also Goes Down—Fears Entertained That Hazelton May Not Be Saved.

The wreck of the steamer Northwest on the Skeena river following close upon the mishap to the Hudson Bay steamer Hazelton, has completely suspended steamboat transportation on the northern river, and the travelers who journey between Port Essington and the Hazelton are now compelled to adopt the pioneer methods, Indian canoe or boat. The Hazelton left the upriver point on Wednesday last and on the following day struck a rock near Oliver's Riffle, between Kitslax Canyon and Lorne Creek. The Hazelton's passengers were sent down by canoe. The steamer is still fast and fears are entertained for her, according to a private despatch received yesterday soon after the stranding of the Hazelton news was received that the Northwest running in opposition to the Hudson's Bay company's vessel

had struck a rock about forty miles down river from Hazelton and proved a total wreck. No lives were lost, but the vessel and cargo is stated to have been a total loss.

A despatch from Hazelton to the Vancouver News-Advertiser, says: "Word has just reached this place that the steamer Northwest, belonging to the Northern British Columbia Transportation company, has gone down in the Skeena river about forty miles down stream from this point. No lives were lost, although the ship is completely smashed up and a major portion of the cargo went to feed the fishes."

The steamer left Port Essington on her regular run day before yesterday. She carried a large cargo of supplies and winter stores for those who intended spending the winter in the north, besides a very large number of passengers.

"All was going well," said one of the survivors who arrived here, "when with a jar and crash that sounded like workmen prying boards from the sides of a building we in the cabin were informed that the ship had struck a rock. We rushed out on deck and made our way over the sides of the ship to the land. The water was not deep and several huge rocks aided us in freeing ourselves. When we were on land and safe we watched the swift current grapple with the battered hulk until, with one mighty sweep the ship went over on its side."

The swift current ordinarily washing around the rocks made an unusual noise, but as the water surged about the ship, extinguishing the fires beneath the boilers, it seemed as if a shriek from some huge monster was being echoed and re-echoed along the banks of the stream.

"The passengers who came to this point in an Indian canoe, declares none of the passengers were drowned, although he is not sure whether all members of the crew reached safety. Officials here have no way of telling just what the damage will be, but if the report that the Northwest is a total loss be true, \$40,000 will not more than recompense the owners."

"The steamer runs from Port Essington to Hazelton was a fairly new craft and was doing a thriving business."

The loss of the Mount Royal from this run and the recent mishap to the sternwheeler steamer Hazelton at Oliver's Riffle, has completely suspended traffic in the Skeena river."

Those familiar with the Skeena river are of the opinion that the location of the wreck of the Northwest, which is in command of Captain Bonsar, was ashore between Graveyard Point and Telegraph Point, and she was expected to be a total loss.

PRINCESS MAY ARRIVES FROM NORTHERN PORTS

Among Passengers Was Col. May of Hudson Bay Railway Project

The steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, reached port yesterday morning from Skagway and way ports and will sail north again on Thursday evening. She brought 154 passengers south, among them being Col. May, promoter of the Hudson's Bay-Port Simpson railway, who has been at Port Simpson arranging for the building of a floating wharf and a hotel at the work channel side of the Port Simpson peninsula, where the terminus of the proposed railway is to be located. Greenshields, who went north on a pleasure trip, embarked at Prince Rupert and intends to go to Alberni to engage in shooting and fishing. H. Dunn, of the Kelley-Carruthers company, of Prince Rupert, was another passenger.

When the Princess May was at Port Essington on Friday news had been received there that both the steamers Northwest and Hazelton were ashore, the former between Graveyard Point and Telegraph Point, and the latter near Meamskinish. Word has since been received that the Northwest is a total loss with her cargo and the Hazelton was still ashore yesterday and anxiety was being entertained for her.

A Kincaid, who arrived by the Princess May from the Bulkley valley, and who was a passenger on the steamer Northwest on her last trip down the river, says navigation of the Skeena has been very difficult for some time. On the trip upriver some weeks ago the Northwest occupied nine days from Port Essington to Meamskinish and had to tie up there to land a portion of her cargo. He was obliged to sell two horses he was taking to the Bulkley valley in consequence. He states that on the trip upon which she was lost she had a full cargo of freight, being obliged to leave some of that offered on the dock, and there were about 100 passengers on board.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS

Steamers to Arrive.
From the Orient.
Shimano Maru Sept. 17
Titan Oct. 1
Tango Maru Oct. 2
From Australia.
Moana Sydney Sept. 25
Kazembe Auckland
From Mexico.
Lonsdale Sept. 16
From England.
Steamer Newington, left Plymouth July 2.
Str. Titan left Liverpool July 25.
Str. Keenmore left London Aug. 17.
From Acapulco.
Str. Strathallan to lead lumber, sailed from Antofagasta, July 20.
From Modj.
Steamer Thorilds.
From Caliao.
Steamer Birkhall.
From Nitrate Port.
Steamer Flig Clarence.
From Vladivostok.
Steamer Strathillan.

Steamers to Depart.
Left.
London Hill, Liverpool May 24
(put into Capetown, leaving, Aug. 17.)
Brablock, Newcastle, Aug. 8
W. P. Babcock, Newcastle,
Seestern, Callao,
Joseph B. Thomas, Newcastle,
Ancensis, Callao,
Hillston, Cardiff,
Thickie, Valparaiso,
Steamers to Sail.
For the Orient.
Line.
Tosa Maru Sept. 17
Monteagle Sept. 19
Empress of Japan Sept. 30
Shinano Maru Oct. 1
Teucer Oct. 2
For Australia.
Moana Oct. 11
For Mexico.
Lonsdale Oct. 1
For Skagway.
Princess May Sept. 19
For Northern British Columbia Ports.
Venture B. S. C. Co. Sept. 25
Camosun, Sept. 19
Princess Beatrice Oct. 1
For West Coast.
Tees C. P. R. Sept. 16
For San Francisco.
Spokane Sept. 17
City of Puebla Sept. 22
City of Puebla Sept. 27
Vessels in Port.
Str. Amur from B. C. ports.
Local Steamers.
Vancouver-Victoria-Seattle.
Princess Victoria.
Leaves Vancouver 1 p.m. daily except Tuesdays.
Arrives Victoria 5 p.m. daily except Tuesdays.
Leaves Victoria 6.30 p.m. daily.
Arrives Seattle 10.30 p.m. daily.
Leaves Seattle 12 midnight, daily.
Arrives Victoria 6 a.m. daily.
Leaves Victoria 7.30 a.m. daily except Tuesdays.
Arrives Vancouver 11.45 a.m. daily except Tuesdays.
Charmers.
Leaves Vancouver 11.30 p.m. daily except Sunday.
Arrives Victoria 6.30 a.m. daily except Monday.
Leaves Victoria 1 p.m. daily except Sunday.
Arrives Vancouver 7 p.m. daily except Sunday.
Princess May or Princess Beatrice.
Leave Victoria 1 a.m. Tuesdays.
Arrives Vancouver 7 a.m. Tuesdays.
Leaves Vancouver 1 p.m. Tuesdays.
Arrives Victoria 6 p.m. Tuesdays.
Victoria-Seattle.
Chippewa.
Leaves Victoria daily except Thursdays, 4.30 p.m.
Arrives at Port except Thursdays, 1.30 p.m.
Victoria-Comox.
Leave Victoria Tuesdays at 6.00 a.m. for Nanaimo, calling at Kuper and The Islands and Crofton.
Leave Nanaimo Tuesdays at 5.00 p.m. for Union Bay and Comox direct.
Leave Comox Wednesdays at 7.00 a.m. for Nanaimo and way ports.
Leave Nanaimo Thursdays at 7.00 a.m. for Comox and way ports.
Leave Comox Thursdays at 6.00 p.m. for Union Bay.
Leave Union Bay Thursdays at midnight for Nanaimo direct.
Leave Nanaimo Fridays at 7.00 a.m. for Vancouver.
Leave Vancouver Fridays at 1.00 p.m. for Nanaimo.
Leave Nanaimo Fridays at 5.30 p.m. for Union Bay and way ports.
Leave Comox Saturdays at 7.00 a.m. for Nanaimo and way ports.
Leave Nanaimo Saturdays at 2.00 p.m. for Victoria direct.
Victoria-New Westminster.
R. P. Rithet.
Leaves Victoria Tuesdays and Friday.
Leaves Westminister Wednesday and Saturday.
Upper Fraser River.
Beaver.
Leaves New Westminster 3 a.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday.
Leaves Chilliwack 7 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Calling at landings between New Westminster and Chilliwack.
Lower Fraser River.
Transfer.
Leaves New Westminster Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 3 p.m.; Saturday 2 p.m.; Additional trip Monday 5 a.m.
Leaves Stevenson, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, 7 a.m. for Comox and way ports.
Leaves Comox and way ports, Saturday 5 p.m.
Vancouver-Nanaimo (B. & N. Ry.).
Joan.
Leaves Nanaimo 7 a.m.
Leaves Vancouver 1.30 p.m. daily except Sunday.
Sidney to Gulf Islands.
Iroquois, leaving Sidney daily.
Lumber Rates.
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PRINCESS MAY ARRIVES FROM NORTHERN PORTS

Among Passengers Was Col. May of Hudson Bay Railway Project

The steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, reached port yesterday morning from Skagway and way ports and will sail north again on Thursday evening. She brought 154 passengers south, among them being Col. May, promoter of the Hudson's Bay-Port Simpson railway, who has been at Port Simpson arranging for the building of a floating wharf and a hotel at the work channel side of the Port Simpson peninsula, where the terminus of the proposed railway is to be located. Greenshields, who went north on a pleasure trip, embarked at Prince Rupert and intends to go to Alberni to engage in shooting and fishing. H. Dunn, of the Kelley-Carruthers company, of Prince Rupert, was another passenger.

When the Princess May was at Port Essington on Friday news had been received there that both the steamers Northwest and Hazelton were ashore, the former between Graveyard Point and Telegraph Point, and the latter near Meamskinish. Word has since been received that the Northwest is a total loss with her cargo and the Hazelton was still ashore yesterday and anxiety was being entertained for her.

A Kincaid, who arrived by the Princess May from the Bulkley valley, and who was a passenger on the steamer Northwest on her last trip down the river, says navigation of the Skeena has been very difficult for some time. On the trip upriver some weeks ago the Northwest occupied nine days from Port Essington to Meamskinish and had to tie up there to land a portion of her cargo. He was obliged to sell two horses he was taking to the Bulkley valley in consequence. He states that on the trip upon which she was lost she had a full cargo of freight, being obliged to leave some of that offered on the dock, and there were about 100 passengers on board.

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From the Orient.
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From Acapulco.
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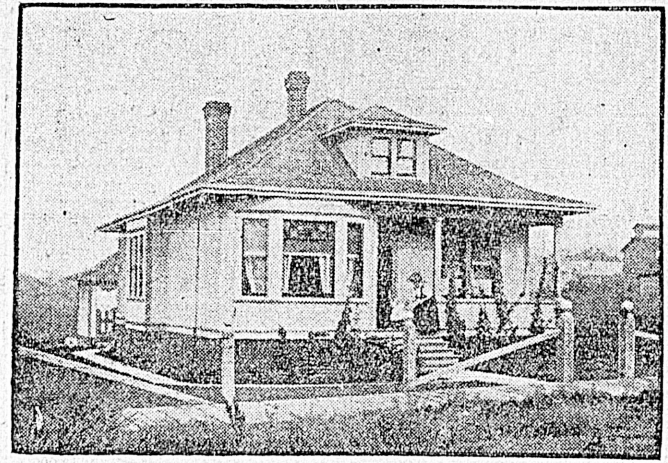
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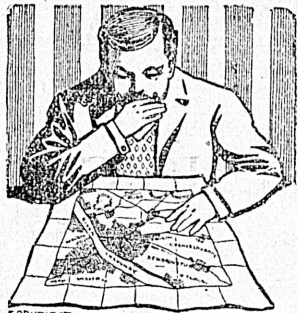
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TO LET—Furnished rooms and board. Piano and phone, Bellevue, Quebec St., third house from Parliament buildings. m 7.

NOTICE
"LASH'S" (Sanitary)—No. 843 View St. (new number), Phone A191. Second-hand clothing bought and sold. s15

JAMES MEK, WILSON—Garbage removed and hauling. Phone 662.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL—Having purchased the blacksmith and carriage shop of W. A. Robertson & Son, 56 Discovery streets, I am now prepared to do all kinds of carriage, blacksmithing and all other custom work. Make a specialty of shoeing horses with corns, quarter corks, etc. Attention is called to my change of address and all old customers and new ones cordially invited to give me a call. I. J. J. Fisher, 56 Discovery street.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE
WANTED TO BUY—A small second-hand motor car; must be in good condition. Reply, good parties, and price, to P. O. Box 422, Vancouver, B. C. s15

WANTED—To purchase a row boat, in good condition, cheap for cash. Apply 109 Colonist. s14

WANTED—3 or 4 acres waterfront, Portage Inlet. Owners only. au25

WANTED—To purchase diamonds and old-fashioned jewelry, pictures, engravings, etc. A. A. Aaronson, 55 Johnson Street.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES.
FOR SALE—4 houses on Dallas Road, all in good interest. Apply to owner, 120 Dallas Road. s14

FOR SALE—New seven-roomed bungalow, with large attic, unfinished, and one acre of ground, close to car line, modern conveniences, beautiful view, stone foundation, sold by auction, quick sale \$5,000.00. Terms, Box 803 Colonist. au23

\$3,500—Lot 176x129, and six roomed house on Boyd street; \$400 cash, balance monthly payments. Address P. O. Box 441. s10

WANTED—TO RENT
WANTED TO RENT—Furnished house, 7 to 8 rooms, winter months. Terms must be reasonable. Apply P. O. Box 583. s15

WANTED—Furnished cottage or small house. Address (with particulars), T. M. S., P. O. Box 647. s13

WANTED—Clean, light room in business district by young man. Will pay reasonable price. s11

WOOD—WOOD—WOOD
WANTED—Customers for 100 cords of slab wood in four foot lengths at two dollars per cord. In short lengths at three dollars, delivered to any part of the city. B. F. Graham Lumber Co., Ltd., Garbally Road on Victoria Arm, Telephone 864. s13

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\$5,250—Will buy a well built, comfortable house on Pandora street; all modern conveniences; lot 60x160, running through to the water; fine shrubbery, all in best condition.

\$15,000—Buys one of the finest homes in Victoria, with 1 1/2 acres ground, all laid out with magnificent trees, shrubs, etc., one of the few remaining choice spots in the city. Ask for particulars.

SHOAL BAY—Beautiful 2 1/2 acres, all cleared and under cultivation, sheltered, and commanding unobstructed view of the water—\$5,500.

\$2,100—Will buy a comfortable two-story house, with modern conveniences; five minutes' walk from city hall. One-third cash, balance at 6 per cent. Why pay rent?

BATTERY ST.—Modern eight room house, with splendid view of the mountains and straits; nice shrubbery and grounds; close to park and beach—\$4,000.

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COTTAGE—4 rooms, \$900. Easy terms.

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\$500, REWARD

The Government of the Province of British Columbia hereby offers a reward of Five Hundred Dollars for the arrest, or for information leading to the arrest and delivery to a British Columbia Constable of Patrick Mullen, who is charged with the murder of one Angelo Orlando on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1907, at Michel, in the District of South-east Kootenay, Province of British Columbia.

Description of Patrick Mullen is as follows:
Nationality, Irish.
Occupation, coal miner.
Age, 26 years.
Height, 5 feet 9 inches; weight, 163 lbs.
Complexion, fair; hair, dark, inclined to be curly.
Was clean shaven on 1st instant.
Wart on right hand at point of thumb.
When last seen, wore brown check coat and trousers of same material; brown boots, and round, grey felt hat.
Warrant issued.—Report any information immediately to:
J. J. McNamee, Chief Constable, Fernie, B. C., or to the undersigned.
By order,
F. S. HUSSEY,
Superintendent Provincial Police,
Provincial Police Department,
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 11, 1907.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of an application for a duplicate certificate of title to lot 6, Block XIII, Hillside. Extension of the Work Estate (Map No. 132) Victoria City.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to issue a duplicate certificate of title to said lot issued to James C. McKee on the fourth day of December, 1884, and numbered 6120 A.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., this 28th day of August, 1907.
S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General.



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Strong and serviceable. Extra heavy collars, just the thing required for heavy work. We sell at the right prices. You'll find this a business proposition. In fact you can depend on any harness you buy here. We have every kind of harness—heavy and light—for every kind of service. All are honest harness at honest prices. Also a large assortment of trunks and valises.

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Pacific Wagon Works

Corner of Government and Chatham streets, are now prepared to handle all kinds of new work, also jobbing of every description. Prompt attention to all work. Satisfaction guaranteed.

FOR SALE

12 Lots in Block 66, bounded by Superior, Michigan and Montreal Streets; also

16 Lots in Block 50, bounded by Ontario, Montreal, Simcoe and St. Lawrence Streets.

For prices and terms apply at the office of the undersigned.

Wm. W. NORTHCOTT,
Assessor.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C.,
September 12th, 1907.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATES OF JOHN WESLEY HASKINS AND ROSE HASKINS, LATE OF VICTORIA, B.C.

All persons indebted to either of the above named estates are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned or to Sydney Child, Solicitor for said estates, at 61 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., and all persons having claims against the said estates are required to send particulars of the same duly verified to the undersigned, or to Sydney Child, Solicitor for said estates, at the said address, on or before the 10th Sept., 1907, when the administrator will proceed to administer the said estates, having regard only to such claims as are then before him.

AUBREY A. BOND,
Administrator Estates of John W. and Rose Haskins.
Dated 8th July, 1907.

Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Tax Notices have been mailed to all known owners of Real Estate.

Any one not receiving same will please call at the Post Office or at the office of the undersigned.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.
City Hall, Victoria, Sept. 6th, 1907.

FOR SALE

Richmond Ave., off Oak Bay Ave.,—8-roomed modern house, stable, etc., fruit trees, lot 60x135. Price \$5,700.

Oak Bay Avenue—8-roomed house, modern, stable, chicken house, fruit trees, lot 67x120. Price \$6,000.

2 lots, 50x135 ft. each, off Hillside Avenue. \$450 each. Easy terms.

Choice and cheap lots, Oak Bay Avenue and James Bay.

V. C. MADDOCK & CO.
10 BROAD STREET
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Houses and Lots for Sale

Also Farms and Ranches.
List your properties for sale with me.

G. B. Hughes
REAL ESTATE AGENT,
60 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C.

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Also large number of Five Acre Blocks of fine land with splendid view, close to the water, at from \$200 to \$500 per acre. Several pieces absolutely cleared. All the above land is within three miles of the Victoria post office on a splendid road.

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JOHN DEAN
108 Government Street

FOR SALE

10-ROOMED HOUSE, corner lot, good neighborhood, well built, 10 minutes' walk from post office, well suited for large family, or first-class boarding house; all modern conveniences. TWO 4-ROOMED COTTAGES, close to car. Price \$1,000 each. 8-ROOMED HOUSE, entirely new, modern in every respect, substantially built, good locality. FARM OF 180 ACRES, with good house and outbuildings, 50 acres cleared, good soil, no rock, excellent roads, well adapted for subdivision. Price, \$19,000. 12 ACRES with 3-roomed house and fine spring, \$15,500. 1 ACRES fronting Royal Bay, \$1,250. 5 ACRES, all cleared with water frontage, including improvements, poultry, etc., \$2,700.

Quick Sale

A Good 2-story House and Lot 60 x 120

On Church Hill. Will be sold at a bargain within next ten days

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28 FORT STREET

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Adelphi Block Government Street

REDUCED PRICE

30 Acres Fine Fruit Land, situation, soil and exposure of the very best. Will sell the whole or in 10-acre blocks at the bargain price of—

\$125 Per Acre
TERMS

PUBLIC NOTICE

Anyone wishing to communicate with me during my absence from Victoria, please address to me care of Victoria Post Office, B. C.

J. C. DAVIE, M. D.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Company will be held at one o'clock of the company, being No. 70 Corporation Street, in the City of Victoria, B.C., on Monday, the 14th day of October, 1907, for the purpose of considering, and, if deemed advisable, approving of an agreement to be submitted at such meeting, and to be signed by the Victoria, Vancouver and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, all or any part or parts of that portion of the line of railway of this company, known as the "third section of the undertaking" and extending from a point at or near the mouth of the Fraser River to a point on the International boundary line in Blaine and connecting therewith the line of railway of the Seattle and Monaca, Railroad Company; together with all lands, buildings, plant, branch lines and sidings, equipment, property, terminals, freight sheds, piers, docks, and all other structures connected therewith and all telegraph and telephone lines, roadbeds, superstructures, rights of way, rails, tracks, bridges, viaducts, buildings, depots, stations, tanks, and water appliances, warehouses, machine shops and other shops, turntables, water stations, fences, structures, erections and fixtures, locomotives, engines, cars and other rolling stock, machinery, tools, implements, fuel material, furniture, easements, and rights to such lines or any part or parts thereof appertaining to the said railway, and all such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated the Fourth day of September, 1907.

By order of the Board of Directors,
JAMES JEFFREY,
Secretary.

MAGIC



BAKING POWDER

PURE AND WHOLESOME.
E. W. GILLET COMPANY
TORONTO, ONT.

COURT HOUSE, VANCOUVER

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for the purchase of Court House and site, Vancouver, B.C." will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of the 23rd day of September, 1907, for the purchase of the Court House and the site on which it stands, being the block bounded by Hastings, Hamilton, Pender and Cambie streets, situated in the City of Vancouver, B.C., being the property of the Province of British Columbia, together with all fixtures, furniture, carpets and linoleum, etc., and the steel filing cabinets of the Land Registry Office contained therein.

Each tender shall be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque on a chartered bank of Canada in a sum equal to one-third (1-3) of the price mentioned in the tender, which will be forfeited if the tenderer fails to complete the purchase in accordance with his tender and with the terms mentioned herein. The balance of the purchase sum shall be paid by the purchaser in five instalments, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on deferred payments. No interest, however, shall be charged until the purchaser is given possession of the property, which will be on or about the 1st day of December, 1907.

By order of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works,
F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 2nd July, 1907.

Parliament Buildings, Victoria

NOTICE is hereby given that the driveways in front and rear of the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, ARE NOT PUBLIC THOROUGHFARES and may be used only by the motor vehicles who have been granted a license by the Department or are desirous of entering and viewing the building.

Automobiles, trolley-cars or other vehicles carrying passengers, shall not pass along the driveway in front of the building, but at a speed not exceeding four miles an hour, through traffic of any kind, or description along the driveway in the rear of the building is strictly prohibited.

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Victoria, B. C., 1st August, 1907.

FOR SALE

ESTATE OF WHITFIELD CHASE, DECEASED

Sealed tenders for the purchase of the above estate, addressed to Executors of the Estate, care Hon. F. J. Fulton, Barrister, solicitors, will be received until 1st February, 1908.

The estate consists of thirteen hundred and thirty-eight acres (more or less) less the C. P. R. right of way, at Shuswap, B. C. Three hundred and twenty acres (320) back of Shuswap. Four hundred and thirty-eight (438) on west side of South Thompson River, and five stock.

The five hundred and eighty acres is all first-class land, in perfect order and in a high state of cultivation, is rich in produce and is of great agricultural productivity. There is a station on the C. P. R. one mile from the ranch, which affords every facility for the shipment of produce or live stock.

An abundant supply of water from the creek, known as Chase's Creek, is recorded.

The three hundred and twenty acres (320) back of Shuswap is pastoral land, well fenced and with a good supply of water, and its proximity to the ranch makes it of great value.

The four hundred and thirty-eight acres (438) on the west side of the Thompson River is a general farming land, with a valuable piece of property, as there is a very large area of range, in the above mentioned land there are five hundred and fifty head of cattle, five teams of work horses, about thirty range horses, harness, farm implements, machinery, etc.

At present the estate is leased, and the lease expires on April 1st, 1908. The above property is so well and favorably known that it hardly needs more minute description, and is so desirous to inspect the property can get off the train at Shuswap station, and in 15 minutes walk to the place.

The purchaser or lessor will gladly show anyone over the property.

For any further particulars, apply to J. C. Fulton, Shuswap, B. C.; James Ross, South Thompson, B. C.; or G. F. Martin, Agricultural Department, Victoria, B. C. Executors.

By order of the Board of Directors, JAMES JEFFREY, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH BLACKBURN, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Joseph Blackburn, deceased, of Victoria, who died on or about the 5th day of July, 1907, are required, on or before the 15th day of August, 1907, to send by prepaid post, or to deliver to the undersigned solicitors for Robert Charles Blackburn and John Alexander Blackburn, the particulars of their claims against the estate of the said deceased, duly verified by statutory declaration.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of said distribution.

BODWELL & LAWSON,
Solicitors for Robert Charles Blackburn and John Alexander Blackburn,
34 1/2 Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN
ARRIVES FROM ORIENT

Brings Quite a Complement of Passengers and Freight
—Makes Time

R.M.S. Empress of Japan reached port last night from Hongkong, via the usual ports of call, completing her 82nd homeward voyage. She was 30 hours late in leaving Yokohama, owing to detention in quarantine because of the cholera epidemic now causing the delay of all vessels at Japanese ports, but made up part of the time on the voyage, which was, except for a breeze encountered on Sunday last, a comparatively smooth one. The steamer brought 65 saloon passengers, 42 intermediates, mostly Orientals, and 609 Chinese, of whom 120 were landed here. The saloon passengers included Mrs. Rissland, who was formerly Miss Powell, of this city, who came from Hongkong on visit; Harold de Bilt, of the Swedish legation at Tokio, bound to Stockholm; Commander Purcell, of the U.S. navy; George Wilder, a wealthy British traveler, who with Mrs. Wilder, has been visiting the Orient after a tour in New Zealand; Archdeacon H. A. Gray, S. Sale and many others. After landing her local passengers and mails the Empress proceeded to Vancouver shortly after midnight. She brought 1,500 tons of general cargo, including 1,000 bales of raw silk and silk goods, the assignment being valued at in the neighborhood of two million dollars.

News was brought by the Empress of Japan that the Toyo Kisen Kaisha's new steamer Tenyo Maru, for the Hongkong San Francisco route, was to have been launched on Sept. 14 at the Mitsui Bussan shipbuilding yard, Nagasaki. She is 550 feet in length, 63 feet beam, and 28.6 feet in depth. The gross tonnage is 18,725 tons, and the net tonnage, 13,500 tons. For the engines the turbine system has been adopted. She is of 16,550 indicated horse power, and her speed will be 19 knots.

Regarding the seizure of Pratas Island, already reported by cable, Japanese papers say the island was "discovered" by Nishizawa, a Japanese resident of Keelung, Formosa, who conducted a party to it on August 12 and "formally" took possession of it in Japan's name, running up the flag of the Rising Sun. The Japan Mail says the island lies midway between Hongkong, Luzon and Formosa, measures fifteen miles in circumference, and is rich in phosphorus, shell fish and birds.

The trouble which had arisen between Japan and China regarding the occupation of Kan-to, a piece of mainland co-terminous with Chinese territory on the river Tumen and considered neutral ground by Korea, was a prolific source of discussion when the Empress of Japan left Yokohama. There is a Chinese garrison of 300 there and Lieut.-Col. Saito and a force of Japanese troops had been sent to enforce their retirement. The Chinese refused to leave and the prefect called upon the Japanese troops to withdraw. When the steamer left both remained in occupation.

POOR SEALING CATCH
Expected Take of Local Fleet Will Be Smaller This Year

During the month of August bad weather prevailed in Bering sea, according to advices received here and in consequence of this, together with the difficulties with which the local sealers have to contend because of the presence of so many Japanese sealers hunting near the rookeries and using firearms, the catch of the nine sealing schooners from Victoria which form the fleet in this port in Bering sea is expected to be a low one. The total catch being probably the lowest on record since the industry began.

Capt. Gillespie of the ship Glory of the Seas, which has arrived at Port Townsend from Cape Nome, reports that during August the weather was stormy in Bering sea than in any season since the war, and that the vessel, which is a staunch three-masted schooner, named by a crew of thirty-three, arrived in Killisnoo roads about August 24. Her captain, after meeting with refusals to sell his vessel supplies, proceeded to Funen on the steamship Cottage City. At last reports he had not returned to his vessel, and the Satsuma Maru still lay at anchor off the cannery town, an object of mystery and food for conjecture to the people there, who regard her as anything from a seal freight to a warship in disguise sent to spy on Alaskan shores.

TO USE TRAWLERS
Seattle Corporation Formed to Engage in Fishing in Alaska Waters.

For the first time in the history of the Alaska fishing industry, English trawlers will be put in use by the Northern Marine Company, of Seattle, which was recently incorporated with a capital of \$85,000. The company has already purchased one vessel for the trade and will within a short time purchase three more. These vessels will be fitted up with steam or gasoline power and will have the latest trawling apparatus fitted on them.

The company will construct a large cold storage plant in Southwestern Alaska, where the fish will be put up in boxes ready for shipment, and will be sent south on their fishing vessels, where they will be dispatched to the Eastern market. The company will fish principally for halibut and salmon but other fish that are caught will be sent to the fertilizing plant the company intends to install in conjunction with the cold storage plant.

Workable fish construction of the company's plants in Alaska will be started immediately, and within ninety days it is expected that the company will be able to begin shipping fish to Seattle for trans-shipment to the Eastern market. The cold storage plant will be capable of handling 1,000,000 pounds of fish at one time. The fertilizing plants will have a daily capacity of twenty tons.

UNDER SUSPICION
Killisnoo Mystified Because of Arrival of Satsuma Maru.

Persons living at Killisnoo, Alaska, are greatly puzzled over the movements of the Japanese schooner Satsuma Maru, which has been at anchor off the cannery town for several weeks. Mr. Spoon, manager of the Killisnoo cannery, distrusting the Japanese vessel, has refused to sell fish to her captain. Other supplies have also been refused the vessel, and Capt. Futchi, her commander, has come to Funen to try to straighten matters out.

Capt. Futchi has not explained his mission to the people of the cannery town, and suspicion was further aroused when it was discovered that the Satsuma Maru had no clearance papers. The vessel, which is a staunch three-masted schooner, named by a crew of thirty-three, arrived in Killisnoo roads about August 24. Her captain, after meeting with refusals to sell his vessel supplies, proceeded to Funen on the steamship Cottage City. At last reports he had not returned to his vessel, and the Satsuma Maru still lay at anchor off the cannery town, an object of mystery and food for conjecture to the people there, who regard her as anything from a seal freight to a warship in disguise sent to spy on Alaskan shores.

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The steamer Woolwich, which brought a cargo of rice and Japanese from Kobe, proceeded to Seattle yesterday to load a cargo of flour for Kobe. She is under charter to some Japanese at Kobe and is taking a cargo of flour from the sound on her account. The Woolwich was to have left for Seattle on Sunday, but when she was about to leave the dock the reversing wheel broke. Fortunately, the spring line was still fast to the dock and she was again made fast without difficulty. The wheel was taken out and welded yesterday and the steamer left for the sound.

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TENDERS ARE ABOVE THE APPROPRIATION

Contractors' Figures for New
Victoria West School
All Too High

The Victoria West school question is by no means settled yet. The vexed question which it was thought the delicate policy pursued by the board in calling for tenders would once and for all be settled, received a new lease of life when it was discovered on opening the tenders at the regular monthly meeting of the school trustees last evening, that the tenders exceeded the appropriation made by the bylaw which recently was approved by the property owners of the city and passed by the city council.

The figures of the lowest tender for the buildings alone while not made public are understood to be several thousand dollars in excess of the appropriation and the board was compelled, after considerable discussion, to refer the entire matter back to the buildings and grounds committee. Five firms in all submitted tenders; Lacey Bros., A. & A. Frane, Dimsdale & Mulcolm, Wood & McVicar and Martin & Thomas.

Various solutions of the difficulty were offered by different members of the board. It was thought by some that by paring off the expenditure and curtailing the requirements of the specifications, the figures might be brought within the appropriation. Others suggested that for the proposed brick building a frame one be substituted. But no definite course of action was resolved upon. The matter was finally referred back to the buildings and grounds committee which, after consultation with the architect, W. Ridgeway-Wilson, will report to the board. It may be possible to complete the two wings of the proposed school at the present time and to later add the central portion which will mainly be utilized as an assembly hall.

The question of the resignation of Mr. Perry, commercial master in the high school, was then considered. The

resignation was submitted at the last session of the school board, but its acceptance was deferred until the board considered the problem of obtaining a substitute.

Dr. Eaton announced that by wonderful good luck a substitute was available. H. D. Grimston, B.A. (Cantab) a practical book-keeper, with a thorough knowledge of shorthand, is the gentleman. Mr. Grimston has taught on the commercial side upon various schools on the continent and obtained a thorough knowledge of book-keeping and shorthand writing in law offices. He is at present employed in Vancouver, but his services will be available Sept. 21. Superintendent Eaton further stated that he had met Mr. Grimston and had had a long conversation with him. He strongly urged that his application be accepted and that he be appointed to the position at the salary paid Mr. Perry.

Chairman Jay endorsed the superintendent's endorsement of Mr. Grimston and as a result he will receive the appointment, the resignation of Mr. Perry being accepted.

The board instructed the superintendent to inform J. C. Robinson, who is at present teaching in Vancouver, that his application for the position rendered vacant by the resignation of Miss Pope, of the north ward school, had been accepted.

Dr. Eaton further brought up the question of a holiday for the schools during exhibition week. In the past it has been the custom to give two half days. He advised that one full day be substituted for this. The board adopted the superintendent's advice, and a holiday will be granted the pupils of the city schools Friday, Sept. 27.

A communication was received from the secretary of the School Trustees association enclosing a programme of the annual convention and urging that a large delegation be sent. Trustee Huggert, who is removing to Vancouver, was commissioned to attend the convention which is held this year at New Westminster.

A somewhat unique situation was revealed when the superintendent informed the board that he was in receipt of an application for free school books for two girls, the children of an employee of the city drawing \$2.25 a day. There is a provision under which the board may in the case of indigent children furnish them with free school books. After some little discussion the matter was referred to the superintendent to use his discretion.

THE NEW MINISTERS

No Opposition to be Offered in Brockville and St. John

St. John, N. B., Sept. 16.—Mayor Sears formally withdrew from the by-election contest today. This will allow Hon. V. Angley to be returned by acclamation on Wednesday.
Brockville, Ont., Sept. 16.—The Conservatives of Brockville have decided

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not to oppose the Hon. G. P. Graham, the new minister of railways and canals. They met on Saturday and nominated A. F. Donovan for the Ontario legislature. The Liberal members of the legislature have been called to meet on Sept. 30 in Toronto to elect a leader in place of Mr. Graham.

THREATENED CHILDREN.

Chinaman Arrested for Chasing Youngsters on Road.

New Westminster, B.C., Sept. 16.—A dopy Chinaman named One Sing, who has his residence along the North Arm road, was arrested on Thursday evening by Provincial Constable Deane on a complaint from South Vancouver that he had threatened to cause bodily injury to several school children. The charge which Sing was called upon to answer to in the district court before Captain Pittendrigh today was threatening to injure.

The children concerned in the case allege that as they were proceeding home from school the Chinaman chased after them and threatened to hit them with stones. They managed however to clear and reach home in safety. Constable Deane's theory is that One Sing is addicted to the use of dope, and that he is not entirely responsible.

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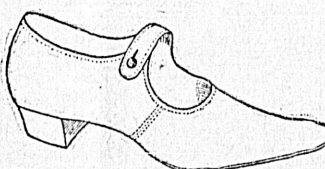
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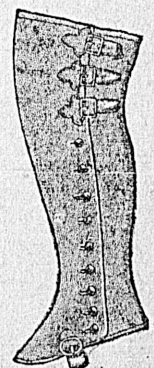
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